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AIRFARES SET TO DROP AS MARKET LEADER INDIGO CUTS FUEL CHARGE

IndiGo on Thursday announced the withdrawal of fuel charge that will reduce airfares by up to ₹1,000 on certain long routes as ATF prices fell

FALL IN ATF COST LEADS TO SLASH IN FUEL CESS

As Aviation Turbine Fuel (ATF) prices are dynamic, IndiGo will continue to adjust its fares and components to respond to any change in market conditions, the airline said in a statement. Fuel cost accounts for a significant chunk of a carrier's operational costs. In October 2023, IndiGo levied fuel charge up to ₹1,000 to offset the spike in ATF prices | P13

ATF PRICES FELL FOR THIRD TIME IN 2 MONTHS

- Government cut ATF prices for the third time on January 1. Earlier price cuts were in November and December
- Despite ATF price cuts, airlines were not passing on the benefit to passengers, which raised concerns in various quarters. Aviation minister Scindia nudged airlines to keep passengers' interest in mind

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Amid spat with allies, Cong to begin seat talks

War of words between TMC and Congress over seats in West Bengal for Lok Sabha polls

PREETHA NAIR @New Delhi

AMID growing rumblings among INDIA bloc partners in various states over seat-sharing for the Lok Sabha polls, the Congress on Thursday said it will begin talks with its allies soon.

The development came hours after the Congress and Trinamool got into an ugly spat over seats in West Bengal. Earlier in the day, state Congress chief Adhir Ranjan Chowdhury hit out at TMC chief Mamata Banerjee for offering just two of the state's 42 seats to the grand old party. A furious Chowdhury said his party doesn't need Banerjee's alms and can win more seats on its own. In response, the TMC said 'bad mouthing alliance partners and seat-sharing can't go hand-in-hand.'

In Punjab also, the Congress and AAP leaders have been issuing statements against each other over the ED's summoning of Delhi CM Arvind Kejriwal.

Later in the evening, the Congress' National Alliance Committee (NAC), which was set up to facilitate seat-sharing agreements with INDIA partners, met party president Mallikarjun Kharge and senior leader Rahul Gandhi, and submitted a detailed report outlining potential state-wise alliances.

NEW NAME FOR RAHUL'S YATRA

The Congress on Thursday renamed Rahul Gandhi's East to West yatra as Bharat Jodo Nyay Yatra, which will be flagged off from Manipur on January 14. Earlier, the yatra was called Bharat Nyay Yatra. The party will invite all members of INDIA bloc to join the yatra along its route

Speaking to the media, NAC head Mukul Wasnik said state-level talks with allies will start soon. Other members of the panel include former Union minister Salman Khurshid, former CMs Ashok Gehlot and Bhupesh Baghel, and senior leader Mohan Prakash.

"We have submitted our report to Congress leadership based on the feedback from state unions on the feasibility and prospects of forming alliances with various parties in different states. Now, discussions with INDIA bloc allies will begin without any delay. We are aware that it has to be done on a priority basis," he said, adding: "Every state has different political dynamics. We have to take all those factors into account."

Sources said the party is mulling alliances in nine states including Delhi, West Bengal, Bihar, Maharashtra, and UP.

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CITY'S BEST WEEKEND GUIDE INDULGE

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Early LCA makers still await CCS pension

RAMU PATIL @Bengaluru

AFTER years of hard work by a dedicated team, the homegrown Light Combat Aircraft (LCA), Tejas took to the skies on January 4, 2001 on its maiden flight. The fighter added strength to the capabilities of the Indian Air Force (IAF) and gave a big boost to the "atmanirbhar" initiative. But those who formed the bedrock of the project at the Aeronautical Development Agency (ADA) are still waiting for their Central Civil Services (CCS) pension.

Since the last two decades, about 330 former ADA employees, who had joined the Agency before 2004 have been requesting the Centre for the CCS pension. ADA was set up in 1984 as an autonomous institution under the Ministry of Defence and registered under the Societies Registration Act. Those who joined ADA after 2004 come under the pension scheme like other government employees, but not those who had joined before.

About 330 had joined before 2004 after resigning or taking voluntary retirement from their parent government departments, PSUs, and autonomous bodies as they wanted to serve a major national mission mode defence programme with their specific expertise and knowledge, the ADA Retired Employees Welfare Association (AREWA) stated in a memorandum submitted to the Union Finance Minister in June 2022.

"At that time, they could not forecast the fact that the loss of their lifetime pension in exchange for CPF (provident fund) benefits would result in extreme financial hardship for their families because of the currently prevailing meager returns on investment of their CPF benefits subsequent to their retirement," the AREWA said.

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> There is an absolute need for attention towards this issue, and they richly deserve it
>
> Dr Kota Harinarayana
> 'Father of LCA project'

WISHES FROM MAN WHO FLEW MAIDEN LCA FLIGHT

"From humble beginnings, we have come a long way. The development of Tejas has progressed at a very steady pace with the result that the aircraft has been inducted into the IAF and a large order has been placed. Best wishes to you all," said Wg Cdr Rajiv Kothiyal KC (Retd), the pilot who flew the maiden flight of the LCA on January 4, 2001.

India and South Africa share the Freedom Trophy after levelling the series 1-1 on Thursday | AP

India bounce back with shortest Test

GOMESH S @Chennai

INDIA and South Africa were on a new land in Newlands, literally. 642 balls. 107 overs. Four-and-a-half sessions. This is how the second Test panned out in Cape Town. As the visitors conjured a seven-wicket win to level the two-Test series, there were quite a few records too.

It is the shortest in terms of number of balls — two of the next five on the list are from 19th century. Lowest in terms of match aggregate (442) for a Test involving India and South Africa.

If Jasprit Bumrah was the star on Thursday, Mohammed Siraj and Kagiso Rabada shared the spoils on Wednesday. Apart from their bowling, this Test will be talked about for the way Newlands surface behaved. It was mischievous as batters struggled with uneven bounce. That 23 wickets fell on Day One and 10 on the next were testament to that. Rohit said as much after the match. He said there are no complaints before adding, "...as long as everyone keeps their mouth shut in India and don't talk too much about Indian pitches."

"Because you come here to challenge yourself. Yes, it is dangerous. It is challenging. When people come to India, it is again pretty challenging as well. When you are put up against a challenge like that, you come and face it. That's what happens in India, but, in India on Day One, if the pitch starts turning, people start talking about 'Puff of dust! Puff of dust!' There's so much crack here (Cape Town) on the pitch. People are not looking at that," Rohit said, adding that the match referees and ICC should keep their eyes open and be neutral. P17

BUMRAH'S SPECIAL

Bumrah (6/61) ran through South Africa's middle-order in a menacing spell, bowling them out for 176. India chased 79 with seven wickets to spare

City's Mount Carmel wants university status, to go the co-ed way

PURAN CHOUDHARY @Bengaluru

MOUNT Carmel College (MCC), one of Bengaluru's historic educational institutions for women, has decided to go the co-ed way. The autonomous institution affiliated to Bengaluru City University (BCU) on Thursday said that all its programmes are now open to boys. Earlier in 2016, the college had allowed male students to apply for only postgraduate courses.

For 75 years, the institution has provided quality education to female students and secured reaccreditation of A+ Grade by NAAC. Several years ago, St Joseph's College also opened its doors to girls, leaving only a few institutions such as Jyothi Nivas PU College, Maharani Cluster University and Bishop Cotton Women's Christian College allowing enrolment for only one gender.

The co-ed decision for the academic year 2024-25 was made by the management and governing council at MCC. Dr George Lekha, Principal, MCC, told *TNIE*, "This decision has been taken by the management, as next year we want to attain university status. The council was of the opinion that we have to move past being a women's college. I believe the move is progressive, and since we have completed 75 years of our establishment, this is the appropriate next step."

The principal added that the college has also made several changes in its academic programmes and shifted its focus towards becoming a university. "We don't want to be an all-women's university. So it seemed viable that we start enrolling boys in all courses," she explained.

Dr Lekha also emphasised that there would be no drastic changes for the college, as they have not decided on increasing the intake of students. She said there would be gradual changes and the administration would have to wait and see how many applications come in for the upcoming academic year. P2

75 YEARS OF SERVICE TO EDUCATION

Mount Carmel College (MCC) is one of the first women's colleges established in 1948, in Bengaluru. It has been ranked as one of the top colleges in India for women. Mount Carmel College completed its Platinum Jubilee, 75 years of service in the field of education, in 2023. With six streams and 84 programmes, the college has a unique alumna group.

DIVE IN PARADISE

Prime Minister Narendra Modi tries snorkelling during his visit to Bangaram, in Lakshadweep, on Thursday | PTI

Five held for selling infant in Hassan dist

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Hassan

SAKLESHPUR Rural police have arrested five persons, including an Asha worker of the Hassan district Health and Family Welfare Department, for allegedly selling a newborn baby boy in Bykaravallie of Sakleshpur taluk recently.

Hassan Superintendent of Police Mohammed Sujeetha MS said that following a complaint by Kantharaj, a member of the district child welfare committee, the Sakleshpur Rural police arrested Girija, mother of the baby; Asha worker Sumitra; Usha, the woman who purchased the baby; coffee estate owner Subramani; and estate employee Srikanth.

The SP added that Girija gave birth to a boy baby on November 15 at Hettur primary health centre in the same taluk, and sold the baby the very next day to Chikkamagaluru-based Usha, through Sumitra, who allegedly brokered the deal.

Following the tip-off, the police traced Usha to Chikkamagaluru and brought both her and the baby to Hassan on Wednesday. Later, the police handed over the baby and his mother to the mother and child care centre in Hassan.

It is learnt that Girija works at Subramani's estate, according to police, who did not reveal further details

EXPRESS READ

BBC, nine others to be charged for contempt

Bengaluru: The Karnataka High Court, on January 8, will frame contempt charges against 10 accused, including BBC (UK), Discovery and Netflix, for airing 'Wild Karnataka' or 'India's Wild Karnataka', violating the interim order passed restraining them from telecasting it. "The material on record shows that even after the interim order, the footage was in the air..." the court said. P5

Relationship with China not normal, says MEA

New Delhi: India on Thursday once again said its relationship with China is "not normal" and that both sides are engaged in diplomatic and military talks to resolve pending issues in eastern Ladakh. The Indian and Chinese troops are locked in confrontation in certain friction points in the region, even as the two sides completed disengagement from several areas following talks.

Land at a premium, dead travel from KR Pura to Kolar for last rites

MOHAMMED YACOOB @Bengaluru

MEMBERS of the Muslim community living in Basavanapura, Aiyappa Nagar, Swatantranagar, Vijaya Bank Colony, Seegehalli and areas surrounding KR Pura have been running from pillar to post to get a piece of land sanctioned as a burial ground.

People from the minority community living in the locality, which has a Muslim population of about 20,000, have to travel about 50km to neighbouring Kolar district to give their loved ones a decent burial, as the issue has remained unaddressed for the past 15 years. The committee members of Masjid-e-Mahmoodia in Basavanapura gave a petition to Deputy Chief Minister DK Shivakumar during the 'Government at Your Doorstep' programme on Wednesday, to look into the kabristan (burial ground) issue.

Shahbuddin Khan, secretary of the masjid, said the nearest kabristan is the Medahalli Burial Ground, and last year, the staff there had warned them not to bring any more bodies as their space was also meagre. "The burial ground is hardly 20,000 sqft and hence the committee has asked us not to bring any bodies. In case there is a death now, we have to inform masjid committees in Kolar or Hoskote to seek their permission, and then take the bodies for burial," said Khan.

He said the deputy commissioner had also written to the tahsildar on March 3, 2023, seeking suitable land, but the file has been gathering dust. Community members did a survey and found three survey numbers to help the revenue department grant a piece of land, which they would be sharing with Bengaluru East tahsildar. CONTINUED ON: P2

AYODHYA TEMPLE

84-second muhurat set for consecration

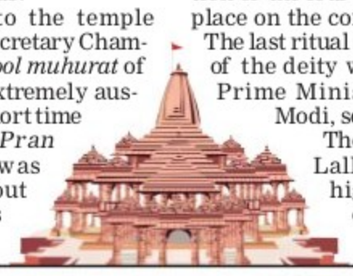
NAMITA BAJPAI @New Delhi

THE throne for Ram Lalla is ready in Ayodhya. He will ascend the throne just past noon on January 22 with the priests having a very short window of 84 seconds to complete the consecration ceremony. For, the auspicious time that day begins at 11.51 am and ends at 12.33 pm under the *Abhijeet Muhurat* in *Mrigashira Nakshtra*. The time was set by Vedic *acharyas* in Kashi. The actual *Pran Pratishthha* (consecration) of the Ram Lalla will be between 12.29.08 pm and 12.30.32 pm that is just 84 seconds.

According to the temple trust general secretary Champat Rai, this *mool muhurat* of 84 seconds is extremely auspicious. This short time span for the *Pran Pratishthha* was chosen as 10 out of 16 qualities of this *muhurat* are good. The purification of the *mool muhurat* will be done on January 19.

Havans, rituals and recitation of the four Vedas will take place on the consecration day. The last ritual of opening eyes of the deity will be done by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, sources said.

The throne of Ram Lalla is three-feet high and covers eight feet on the ground floor of the temple. The throne is made of Makrana marble and is gold plated. Darshan in the current makeshift temple will be closed from January 20 to 22.



Darshan from Jan 23

Devotees will be allowed to visit the mandir from January 23, a day after consecration. Three lakh daily footfalls for darshan are expected. Suitable arrangements have been made

ALMANAC TODAY
• **Friday:** 05/01/2024 • **Year:** Shobhakruta • **Ayana:** Dakshinayana • **Ritu:** Himantha • **Masa:** Margashira • **Paksha:** Krishna • **Tithi:** Navami 7.32 pm • **Nakshatra:** Chittha 4.30 pm • Moon in Tula Rashi • **Rahukaala:** 10:30 am to 12:00pm • **Gulikakala:** 07:30 am to 09:00 am **Yamaganda:** 01:30 pm to 03:00 pm

WEATHER | MIN 18°C | MAX 25°C | **FORECAST** Overcast

Sunrise 6.43 am | Sunset 6.06 pm | Moonrise 12.50 am | Moonset 12.51 pm

JEE MAIN DATES CLASH WITH PU PRACTICALS, STUDENTS WORRIED

Both are scheduled from Jan-end to Feb 10; PU department to look into schedule

PURAN CHOUDHARY @Bengaluru

STUDENTS from Karnataka aspiring to join Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), National Institute of Technology (NIT), International Institute of Information Technology (IIITs) and other centrally funded technical institutions are likely to miss the entrance tests, with the second Pre University (PU) practical exams scheduled in the same week.

The National Testing Agency (NTA) has scheduled the Joint Entrance Examination (JEE Main) 2024 between January 24 and February 1, 2024. According to the timetable issued by the Department of School Education (PU), the practicals are scheduled from January 29 to February 10, 2024. Students, parents and coaching class authorities have demanded that the education department push the practicals by a couple of days and avoid the overlap.

"Many PU students from the state will miss out on the JEE Main exams as the practicals are compulsory, and a student who misses practicals will be declared failed. On an average, 50-60 per cent of PU Science students appear for the JEE exams as they want to opt for those fields. However, the examination board is reluctant to change the dates," said a parent.

Usually, JEE Main exams are conducted during a certain period and students are allotted different dates to appear for the test. This leaves students unaware of the dates when their entrance exam might be held. The entrance exams are conducted in two sessions – January 2024 and April 2024 — giving students the chance to analyse their performance.

When *TNIE* reached out to PU officials, they gave an assurance that the situation would be considered and any change in schedule would be conveyed to students at the earliest.

PROTESTER FAINTS

During the ongoing protest at Freedom Park, a guest lecturer fainted and was taken to a hospital. According to sources, he is in a stable condition.

Guest lecturers of government first grade colleges from across the state protest at Freedom Park on Thursday | EXPRESS

As exams approach, guest lecturers' protest leaves colleges in the lurch

PURAN CHOUDHARY @Bengaluru

DEMANDING regularisation of their services, hundreds of guest lecturers from across the state, who arrived in the city from Tumakuru on Wednesday, continued their protest at Freedom Park on Thursday. With so many lecturers out of classes, colleges and universities are suffering. With examinations round the corner and the stress of completing the curriculum on a tight deadline, students and college administrations are left in a lurch.

The guest lecturers' long stand-off with the state government will also affect the performance of students as colleges reportedly look at moving their examination dates if the situation persists and some have no idea how to work around this situation. Several student organisations also protested against the strike as a month has gone by without any classes being conducted in various government colleges.

"Since 50 days, no classes have taken place and we are struggling. The college announced exams for January 23, 2024, but not even half of our curriculum is completed. We are trying to prepare for the exams by watching online videos and learning from YouTube," said Lokesh DV, a final-year commerce student.

L Gomathi Devi, Vice-Chancellor, Maharani Cluster Univeristy, said, "Around 140 guest lecturers teach at the university. So far, only 30-40 per cent of the curriculum has been completed. Though we announced the exam dates, the courses are not completed, so we will not go ahead with the examinations."

The VC added that students in the commerce stream are the most affected. Most of the guest faculty members are needed for the commerce students and the university is facing a huge problem now. With Science and Arts, permanent teachers have pitched in and over 60 per cent of those curriculum has been completed.

Colleges affiliated with Bengaluru University (BU) are stuck in a similar situation. With 17 colleges under it, VC Jayakara Shetty M stated that they were facing some problems in addressing the concerns raised by colleges in completing the curriculum without enough lecturers. "If the protests are not called off, we are soon going to call a meeting with all the principals to decide the next course of action. At BU, most of the guest faculty members have been conducting their regular classes."

At Nrupathunga University in Bengaluru, permanent lecturers have been sharing the load of guest lecturers. "We have completed 90 per cent of theory classes and might face postponement by a couple of days. Fortunately, we started the semester quite early. We are conducting extra classes to complete the remaining curriculum," said Srinivas S Bali, Vice-Chancellor.

KANNADA ROW

Signboard survey to be done by Jan 15

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DAYS after the row over use of Kannada in signboards at business establishments, the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) has directed its officials to complete the survey on the status of Kannada nameboards across the city by January 15.

Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath said in case the display of Kannada in nameboards is below 60 per cent, notices will be issued to the establishments to ensure that they follow the rule within the stipulated time.

The development comes days after Chief Minister Siddaramaiah set February 28 as the deadline for businesses to implement the government order on 60 per cent Kannada in signboards.

Girinath held a meeting in this regard with the zonal commissioners on Thursday and instructed them to take steps to ensure that shops and establishments that do not use 60 per cent Kannada language on signboards follow the rule. He suggested that businesses in all sectors on arterial and sub-arterial roads in the city should be covered in the survey, and awareness about the Kannada language rule should be brought in among establishment owners.

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>
> Tushar Girinath, BBMP Chief Commissioner

If Kannada is not displayed prominently in nameboards, notices will be sent to the respective enterprises asking why their trade licences should not be cancelled.

Zonal Commissioners Ibrahim Maigur and Preeti Gehlot, joint commissioners of all zones, deputy commissioners of administration and advertising, chief health officer, zonal health officers and others were present in the meeting.

KSPCB keeps tabs on pollution levels at Mall of Asia

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FOLLOWING a request from the police and complaints from locals, the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board (KSPCB) has started monitoring the air and noise pollution levels in and around Phoenix Mall of Asia, located on Ballari Road.

"There have been complaints of noise pollution from blowers, air conditioners and vehicles. The pollution levels will rise in the coming days and it is a matter of concern. We have also received complaints of rising air pollution levels due to increased vehicular movement in and around the mall. We have noted a rise in pollution levels on certain days and times," a senior KSPCB official told *The New Indian Express*.

The official added that reports will be presented to the high court that is hearing the matter and the police department which is addressing the issue. "We have also noted that the mall has not earmarked any lung space in and around it. It has also not demarcated its residential and commercial spaces. This is a violation that has been pointed out before the court as traffic and crowding will increase once the space is completely occupied," the official said.

Sparkle One Mall Developers Pvt Ltd, Mumbai, owners of the mall, had approached the Karnataka High Court after the city police ordered it to "restrict public access" from December 31, 2023, to January 15. On December 31, the HC had passed an interim order and asked both the parties to hold a meeting. The hearing was adjourned to January 5.

ISRO chairman interacts with students

Bengaluru: Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) Chairman **S Somanath** visited Chanakya University on Wednesday and delivered a lecture, sharing his insights from his experience in the space industry. He also interacted with students and faculty members. He impressed upon the students to achieve excellence in engineering and science, and gave an overview on the career opportunities in the field of space science. **ENS**

Students unhappy with uniform fee matrix

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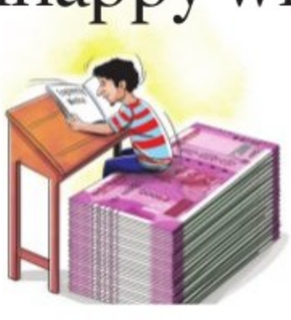
THE Higher Education Department has accepted an expert committee report to introduce a uniform fee structure for all 32 state-run universities. The report has fixed a fee matrix for undergraduate and postgraduate courses in the state for applications, tuition, exams and remuneration for invigilators and evaluators.

However, the student community is not pleased with the findings of the report as it does not include professional courses. They said the optional 10-20 per cent fee increase annually will make no difference in two years, affecting poor students in a big way.



EXPRESS ILLUSTRATION

The report by the Karnataka Higher Education Council (KHEC), led by Vice-Chairman Dr YS Siddegowda, suggested that universities can implement the new fee structure from any academic year. Universities can hike fees by 10 per cent per annum, or 20-25 per cent every two years. The suggestion was accepted by the government on October 16, 2023. However, the suggestions do not apply to universities teaching professional courses such as Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS), University of Agricultural Sciences and Visvesvaraya Technological University (VTU) which has ikred students.

"If the new fee structure is implemented, the degree fees of government universities will reach the level of private degree colleges within two years," said Mahantesh Bilur, Secretary, All India Democratic Students Organisation (AIDSO).

He added that many universities are increasing the fees on the pretext of lack of funding, which leads to huge fee differences between government colleges and government universities. "The government should implement the same fee scale for government degree colleges and universities. Only then the poor students can study at universities set up for their welfare."

'Transition inevitable with changing times'

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SPEAKING about a shared campus for Pre-University (PU) College and UG courses, Dr Lekha said, "I don't think that should be a problem as the intake of students for UG or PG courses is not increasing. In future, we might reserve a small percentage of seats for male students, but as of now that category hasn't been discussed."

Currently, in MCC, 13 boys are enrolled in several PG courses. Dr Suma Singh, Dean of Humanities, said the transition was inevitable with changing times and the legacy institution has geared up to turn the page and start a new chapter.

MLA had helped with two sites

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MUSHTAQ Ahmed, president of the masjid committee, stated that a Muslim population of about 20,000 is spread across these areas of KR Pura, and in the past, some bodies were taken about 50km to Kolar district and surroundings for burial.

"MLA Byrathi Basavaraj helped with two 30x40 sites for the Hadi Masjid Committee in Devasandra. The committee is using the sites for burial and has raised objections to bodies coming from surroundings areas in the past few years. If we don't get any place in the coming days, we will have to travel out of the city for a proper burial," said Ahmed.

EXPRESS READ

Students' assn of BMS College for Women opened

Bengaluru: Dr C N Manjunath, Director of Jayadeva Institue of Cardiovascular Sciences and Research, said education is more about attitude and behaviour than just a degree. The 4 Cs – Confidence, Communication skill, Consistency, and Concentration – are crucial aspects of quality education. Speaking at the inauguration of a students' association at BMS College for Women, Basavanagudi, on Thursday, he advocated a holistic approach to education and urged parents not to solely judge their children's development based on academic marks. He also underlined the role of women empowerment. **ENS**

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

05th January: It's a remarkable moment. This is a time of year when the general disposition of the celestial bodies evokes such mythical themes as rebirth and resurrection. Many cultures have traditions of solar-heroes who are reborn around now, bringing light to the world and enlightenment to our souls. I find this thought very inspiring.

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
You may now need to change your ways, and your approach to partnerships, especially professional ones. It is a time to rely on past experience and emphasise the positive virtues of authority and tradition. Stick to tried and tested methods and you won't go far wrong.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
Take advantage of all planetary movements aligned with your ninth solar house to clear up all long-standing problems. Don't flap around, however, for your status, reputation and prestige are at stake. Never forget that other people's good opinion of you is essential to your image of yourself.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
It's because Mercury, normally such a light and frothy planet, is in a supportive part of the zodiac, that you must put frivolous questions to one side and adopt a firm, business-like approach in all things. In matters of the heart, by the way, you're attracted to people with good minds and strong opinions.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
For someone who is supposed to be rather shy, you can also be quite a show-off when you're in the mood. The way to dazzle partners now is to demonstrate how competent you are, perhaps displaying a skill nobody knew you possessed. Your capacity to surprise is as great as ever.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
You ought to be well on the mend emotionally after traumas which may have occurred up to four months ago. Venus and the Moon, the two most compassionate of all the planets, are bathing you in their soothing rays, so don't grumble. In fact, enjoy it!

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
It's unlike you to over-dramatise the situation at work, but that's precisely what you are in danger of doing. It's one thing to be all artistic and theatrical, quite another to pick up the wrong end of the stick! Try to work out what's really happening before you voice your suspicions.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
There really is no point in trying to force others to sign on the dotted line against their better judgment. They will honour their commitments in due course, but you may be wise to offer a few concessions. You can bend the details without compromising your principles.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
You're a complicated person, and that's the simple reason why others can't always be expected to understand you. Your personal world is so often one of conflict and uncertainty, but look closely and you'll see that affection lies around every corner. I hope that now you will realise that love is but a breath away.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
A few simple statements may do much to safeguard your long-term happiness and security. I am not going to tell you what to say, for only you know exactly what is on your mind. But I can advise you to strike while the iron is hot, and not to waste time while others make the running.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
So much which was established and seemed to last for ever has been turned upside down, leaving many of you bewildered. I am not surprised, for Uranus is a disturbing planet. However, the dust is already beginning to settle, and when it does a new and brighter world will emerge.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Your special skill lies in spotting the opportunities that other people miss. To say that you can turn almost any situation to your advantage would be a classic understate-ment. The message of the moment is teamwork, and by enrolling partners on your side you can cross every valley and climb every mountain.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
It is up to you to determine where you let your dreams take you now. There is something distinctly feminine about the current mood, in the traditional meaning of the term: intuitive, graceful, loving and sensitive. But you must also cope with a determined streak of total independence.

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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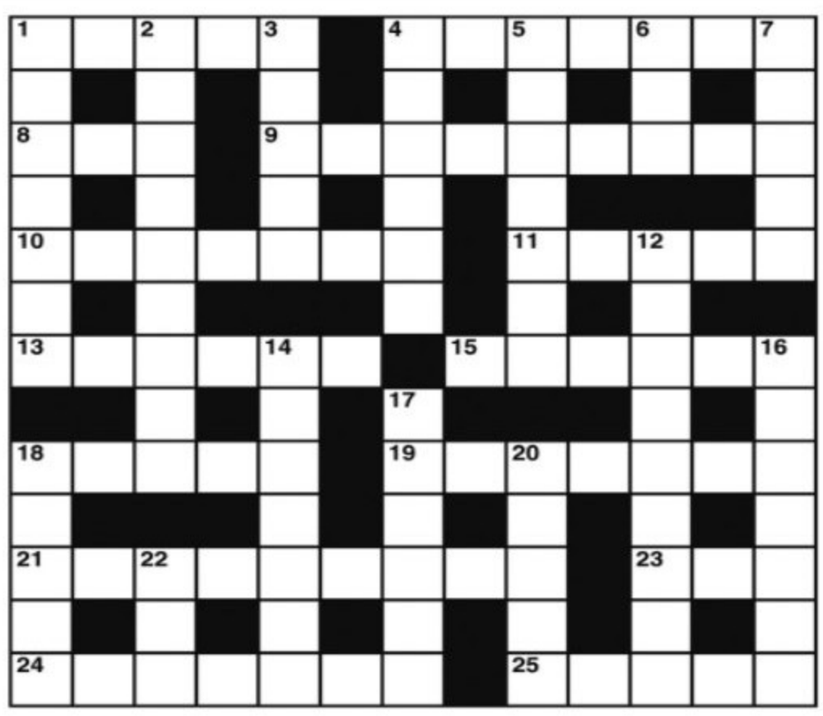
SUDOKU HARD

TEST YOUR NUMBER CRUNCHING SKILL WITH OUR UNIQUE PUZZLE

Fill in the grid with digits in such a manner that every row, every column and every 3X3 box accommodates the digits 1 to 9, without repeating any.



CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Permit a chap on the base (5)
4 Leader apt to give murderer a break (7)
8 Name written in italics (3)
9 Well below the normal size (9)
10 Australian employees of mine? (7)
11 They may tear up verbal part of a contract (5)
13 Fool put back on the dole perhaps (6)
15 It stands out for help for the poor (6)
18 A number holding no end of wood (5)
19 Cartographer for hire? (7)
21 Fails to be made of use in rescues (9)
23 One about to show anger (3)
24 Lies in an open sort of way (7)
25 A game by the fireside (5)

DOWN
1 Leave a catch up river (7)
2 One may be prone to take things so (5,4)
3 Refuse to wither away (5)
4 Gentle touch worries the skinhead (6)
5 Such display gives a god pain (7)
6 The sum Capone left (3)
7 Records music (5)
12 One who is may not understand it's unreasonable (1,3,5)
14 Was it used in operating a big fiddle? (7)
16 Dread going round globe and therefore don't (7)
17 Fights are things dogs enjoy (6)
18 Counts and recounts (5)
20 A reflective attitude taken by a storyteller (5)
22 Just having lost a Christmas tree (3)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Space probe, 8 Crown, 9 Penates, 10 At heart, 11 Buyer, 12 Button, 14 Astern, 17 Right, 19 Plateau, 21 Network, 22 Truss, 23 Put in order.

Down: 2 Prophet, 3 Conga, 4 Pipits, 5 Omnibus, 6 Entry, 7 Astronauts, 8 Clambering, 13 Outpost, 15 Execute, 16 Spoken, 18 Get-up, 20 Actor.

JUMBLE UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

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RYEONR

We should just camp up here and face east for sunrise.
Another beautiful sunset!
11/8
YOU CAN LOOK TO THE EAST TO SEE THE SUN RISE AND TO THE WEST TO SEE IT SET ---
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

_____ _____ AND _____ _____

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: BATTY GLAND HOTTER SUBURB
Answer: To teach his grandchild how to tie a tight knot, he — TAUGHT TAUT

A 30-year-old home-alone woman was strangled to death at Sai Shakthi Layout in Bettadasanapura in Electronics City police station limits on Thursday. The victim has been identified as Neelam. The incident came to light after her children returned home from school. The police suspect that the accused must be a known person

NOT JUST SENIORS, ADULTS TOO CAN TAKE CORBEVAX BOOSTER

15-17 age group, those who turned 18 can take shot as precaution

BOSKY KHANNA @Bengaluru

THOSE who turned 18 in the past six months or so, are also entitled to take a booster shot or even the first shot of the Covid-19 vaccine.

According to state government guidelines, the Corbevax vaccine is being administered as a booster shot only to those who are above 60 years of age and have comorbidities; experts and members of the Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) have suggested to the government and health department that the vaccination be given to those who are 18 years and older.

Naveen Bhat, Managing Director, National Health Mission, said: "Even the 15-17 age group and those who recently turned 18 can take this as a precautionary dose. But we are not monitoring them on priority as of now." Adding to this, another senior health department official said: "If the Cowin portal accepts uploading details of those above 18 years of age, and allots a hospital and time slot, the vaccine will be administered, based on availability."

"The TAC has not recommended that the vaccine be administered to those above 18 on priority basis. However, since the number of takers for the booster shot is not rising, and the expiry date of the procured

30,000 vials is March, we will be taking a decision on administering the vaccine to those above 18, in the days to come," the health official said.

A TAC member, not wanting to be named, told The New Indian Express that Corbevax is suitable for and can be used as a primary vaccine also. But due to shortage of vaccines in the state, its administration is limiting it to the identified 23-25% of the population.

"Going by the package insert details, it can also be used as a flu vaccine and is also safe to be given to children above the age of five years, under strict doctor's supervision. It is also an approved vaccine from the Central Drugs Standard Control Organisation (CDSCO). But despite all this, the National Immunisation Technical Advisory Group (NITAG) has imposed restrictions. Its over-the-counter sales have also been stopped. This vaccine can also be given to all as a primary vaccine. It is a heterologous booster also," the TAC member said.

'54% households report viral symptoms'

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

AS per a recent survey by community platform LocalCircles, approximately 54% of households in Karnataka have reported one or more individuals experiencing viral or Covid-like symptoms such as fever, runny nose, sore throat, cough, headache, joint pain, and respiratory issues.

Karnataka has experienced a recent uptick in Covid cases, notably the JN.1 variant. Due to testing criteria focusing on severe symptoms, the official case counts may only partially reflect the actual situation, suggesting a higher prevalence of Covid cases than the government data reflects, which currently shows around 1,110 active cases in the entire state, the survey stated.

To ensure a comprehensive understanding, the government should scrutinise severe cases and fatalities and must conduct genome sequencing to identify any emerging variants, the report suggested.

The survey garnered responses from 3,000 registered residents, disclosing that 62% of respondents were men and 38% were women. Out of the respondents, 23% indicated that four or more people in their household exhibited symptoms, while another 23% reported 2-3 people with symptoms.

FOUR NEW COVID DEATHS IN STATE

The state recorded four deaths from Covid-19 -- two in Bengaluru and one each in Mysuru and Dharwad -- and 298 fresh cases on Thursday. The total active cases of Covid-19 in the state is 1,240. An 82-year-old man with ILI and a 64-year-old man with SARI died on December 30 and January 1, respectively, in Bengaluru. A 60-year-old woman with SARI died on January 3 in Mysuru, while a 63-year-old mane with ILI died on January 2 in Dharwad.

Guard booked for setting 2 bikes, a house on fire

PRAVEEN KUMAR @ Bengaluru

THE Pulakeshinagar police are on the lookout for a security guard who allegedly set fire to two vehicles and a house in Cox Town. It is learnt that the suspect carried out the act, after he developed a grudge against a woman, whose husband's bike was primarily targeted in the incident.

The accused is identified as security guard Roshan Kumar Thakur, who is a resident of Cox Town. The police complaint against Thakur was filed by 38-year-old Tapas Chakraborti, a resident of 2nd cross on Kadirappa Road. Chakraborti is a food delivery agent, while his 34-year-old wife Monimala, is a cook.

Thakur had enmity with Monimala since the last one year, from when they were neighbours. Before her marriage to Chakraborti around six months ago, Monimala was staying on a different lane in the same area. Thakur, who was her neighbour then, would frequently trouble her in an inebriated state. She had even approached police against Thakur. The house owner, on learning about the harassment, had got Thakur to vacate the house too. After this, Thakur decided to retaliate.

Speaking to *TNIE*, Chakraborti stated that Thakur was troubling his wife. "Thakur was also posting derogatory messages about my wife on social media. Unable to bear the harassment, she had approached the police. Nursing a grudge against my wife, he poured petrol on my bike and set it on fire. The incident took place between 3.20 am and 3.50 am on Sunday. The complaint was filed on Tuesday evening. My bike has been completely destroyed. The fire also spread and burnt the windows and main doors of a house next door, owned by one C Mukundan. Another two-wheeler owned by one Illangovan has also been partially burnt. After checking CCTV footage in the vicinity, we discovered it was Thakur's handiwork," Chakraborti added. A case of mischief by fire under Section 435 of the IPC has been registered against the accused.

PROBLEM SOLVING

Visually-impaired students learn maths using a Taylor frame on World Braille Day, at Jyothi Seva School for the Blind in Bengaluru on Thursday | ALLEN EGENUSE J

EXPRESS READ

Woman who wanted to party for NY at hotel conned

Bengaluru: A 44-year-old woman from Basaveshwaranagar has filed a complaint against a suspect, identified as Party Sam, after he took money from her for a New Year party at an upscale hotel on Vittal Mallya Road, but did not provide the tickets. The woman had approached the accused, since she wanted to celebrate New Year's Eve at the hotel. After collecting money, he told her to meet a sales executive at the property and collect the tickets. When she came for the party and inquired at the reception about the sales executive, she was shocked to find that there was no such person there. The woman, identified as K Hemamalini, filed a complaint with Cubbon Park police on Monday against the suspect, identified as Party Sam alias Surender Kumar. Hemamalini is said to have paid Rs 24,000 for the tickets through UPI to Sam. Sam had told her to collect the tickets from Ambika Mishra, the sales executive. Also, Kumar's phone was switched off.

19-year-old engg student shoots self with dad's gun

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

A 19-year-old engineering student died by suicide, after allegedly shooting himself in the chest with his father's licensed Double-Barrel Breech Loading (DBBL) gun in Peenya police station limits.

The victim is identified as first semester engineering student Vishu Uthappa, a resident of Bhavaninagar near Madhanayakanahalli in Bengaluru North.

The incident reportedly occurred on Tuesday, after his parents left home to buy groceries, around 4 pm. They rushed back around 9 pm after the victim called his father and said that he will never commit any mistakes again.

On reaching home, the parents found Vishu lying in a pool of blood. He was immediately rushed to hospital, but failed to respond to treatment. The police have not found any death note.

Vishu was the only son of his parents. The police have learnt that he was having arguments with his mother over his studies. The exact reason behind the incident, however, is yet to be ascertained.

"The victim shot himself in the left side of his chest. The incident must have happened between 7.30 pm and 8 pm. There is no death note. There is nothing suspicious though," DCP (North) Saidulu Adavath said.

Vishu's father KD Thammayya is employed with the security department of NICE for the last seven years. The family hails from Mukkodlu village in Madikeri taluk of Kodagu district.

PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY / ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT (ESTATE WING)
FORM "C"
Form of notice under sub-section (1) of Section 6 of the public premises, (Eviction of Unauthorized Occupants) Act, 1971

To 1. M/s Kalinga Engineers Ltd. Engineering Workshop. Area-Ac.2.00 and 21.780 Sqft Atharabanki, Paradip
2. M/s Dishnet Wireless Ltd (Aircel), Area-2000 Sqft. near Cabin Market Madhuban, Paradip

Whereas on the 10.11.2021. you were evicted from the public premises described in the Schedule below which was unauthorizedly occupied by you: Now therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by sub-section (1) of Section 6 of the Act, I hereby give you notice that after fourteen days of the service of this notice on you, any property remaining on the said premises will be liable to be removed or disposed of by public auction. In case you desire to take possession of your property and to remove the same from the said premises, you will be permitted to do so on written authority from the undersigned provided any arrears of rent damages/costs due from you are paid within the said period of fourteen days.

SCHEDULE

Description of the Public Premises — Area under Unauthorized Occupation
Unauthorized structure over a portion of land in
1. Plot No.6 Khata No.24 — 1. Ac.2.00 & 21.780 Sqft.
2. Plot No.11 Khata No 27 — 2. 2,000 Sqft.
Village: Sandhakud, PO/PS-Paradip, Dist Jagatsighpur

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3	Research Associate - Civil	Pay Level - 06 as per 7CPC	02
4	Research Associate - Electrical	Pay Level -06 as per 7CPC	02

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Ref: No.NATPAC/38/2020-GA1 dated 10.02.2020 and NATPAC/303/2022-GA2 dated 04/01/2024

Sd/-, Director

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, MINISTRY OF FINANCE
INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF TAX RECOVERY OFFICER (CENTRAL)
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The undermentioned movable properties attached by the Income Tax Department will be sold by public auction through e-auction by M/s MSTC Limited (Auction No.42047) on behalf of Income Tax Department on **"as is where is and what is there is basis"** for recovery of outstanding tax in the case of Shri Sukash Chandrasekharan.

Lot No.	Description of property to be sold
01	Lamborghini, Regn. No. DL-2F-GX-06, Reserve Price -**Rs.38,52,424/-**
02	Jaguar XKR Coupe, Regn. No. PY-01-CG-6688, Reserve Price -**Rs.31,07,458/-**
03	Bentley, Regn. No. DL-4C-AP-9009, Reserve Price - **Rs.83,35,734/-**

Notice is hereby given that, in the absence of any order of postponement, the said property shall be sold by e-auction conducted online through MSTC Limited (A Govt of India Enterprise) **https://www.mstcecommerce.com** at **12.00 PM on the said 23rd day of January 2024.** Detailed Terms and Conditions of the auction sale and conditions of the vehicle may be downloaded from MSTC Website **https://www.mstcecommerce.com.** The properties can be inspected physically on 17/01/2024 and 19/01/2024 between 12.00 PM to 05.00 PM after taking prior appointment of the undersigned over E-mail **bangalore.tro.central@incometax.gov.in** or over phone 080-22862651. Bidders are advised to bid only after satisfying themself of the condition of the vehicle and transfer of ownership.

Given under my hand and seal at Bangalore this **04th day of January 2024.**

Sd/-
TARUN KUMAR SHARMA
TAX RECOVERY OFFICER (CENTRAL)
BENGALURU

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Sd/-
विज्ञापन सं:NCPOR/02/2024 — Head (Administration)

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **Sri. Venkataramanegowda** is the absolute owner of the property bearing Sy. No. 167/3, measuring 37 guntas, more fully described in the schedule hereunder. My client Sri. Venakataramanegowda represented that, while taking xerox have lost/misplaced original sale deed dated 27/01/1996, registered as document No. 12336/1995-96, registered in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Kengeri, Bengaluru, pertaining to the schedule property. In this regard my client has lodged a complaint intimating the lost of original sale deed, with Jurisdictional Police station, Bengaluru city on 03/01/2024, vide lost report No. 0873881/2024. Any person finding the said original sale deed may please to hand over the same either to the undersigned or to the owner. If any person claiming any rights, title or interest based on the said deed should write the undersigned within 15 days as this published notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Sy. No. 167/3, measuring 37 guntas, situated at Yelachaguppe Village, Tavarekere Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk and bounded on: **East by:** Property of Thimmaiah and Ramaiah, **West by:** Property of Doodachikkiah, **North by:** Property of Obaliah, **South by:** Property of Thimmaiah and Anjinappa.

C.R. KRISHNAPPA, Advocate
No. 313, 3rd Floor, Kurubara Sangha Building, 2nd Cross, 2nd Main, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru-560009.
Mob: 9845577155, Date: 04.01.2024

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The Congress is contemplating announcing guarantees at the national-level ahead of the Lok Sabha elections to be held in April/May this year, Forest and Ecology Minister Eshwar Khandre, who is also KPCC working president, said on Thursday

Datta Peetha case reopening is fake news: CM

Govt opened its 'shop of hate' in state: BJP

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CHIEF Minister Siddaramaiah on Thursday took a dig at a section of media that telecast the news that the government had reopened an old case against a Hindu activist, with regard to the destruction of a grave at Bababudangiri hills in Chikkamagaluru.

With the news spreading like wildfire and the opposition BJP going hammer and tongs against the Congress government, terming it "anti-Hindu", the CM issued a statement, clarifying that it was false. "In some visual media, news that the case of destruction of a grave in Bababudangiri has been reopened is being circulated, which is wrong information and completely false news," he said.

Uploading certain documents pertaining to the case on social media, he pointed out that the case was registered in 2017, following which the government was requested for permission for hearing on March 19, 2020. The government had given permission on September 7, 2023, and on October 24, 2023, the chargesheet against the accused was submitted to court. Later, court issued summons to the accused to appear before it on January 8, as part of the legal process, he explained.

"It is a natural legal process with no government interference. The media should not spread false news and incite people that the state government is going to re-investigate the case. The possibility of the media losing its credibility, and the law and order situation deteriorating due to such false news coverage cannot be ruled out. The media should be careful," he suggested.

The BJP, meanwhile, has alleged that the government has opened its "shop of hate" in Karnataka, which is known for peace and prosperity.

"The Tughlaq government, which had reopened the 31-year-old case in Hubballi, has reopened the Datta Peetha case, which was closed. Dear CM @ siddaramaiah, our contempt for the anti-Hindu mentality of your dictatorship. Doing politics of hatred like this while holding a constitutional post is the height of abomination," it posted on X.

Opposition leader R Ashoka said the BJP will not tolerate the Congress government as it has revived the 1992 case and arrested a karsevak, besides the seven-year-old Datta Peetha case.

"This government is acting as if it is on the brink of destruction. By reopening the Datta peetha case, Congress leaders have again shown their hatred for Hindus..." remarked CT Ravi, former BJP national general secretary.

(Left) BJP Karkala MLA Sunil Kumar protests against the recent arrest of a karsevak in Hubballi, in front of Sadashivanagar police station in Bengaluru on Thursday; Police prevent former BJP MLA CT Ravi from continuing his agitation in front of town police station in Chikkamagaluru | EXPRESS

'I am also karsevak, arrest me too' — BJP launches campaign against Cong

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THE BJP in the state on Thursday launched 'I am a karsevak of Ayodhya Sri Ram temple, arrest me too' campaign to protest against the Congress government in the state for arresting a karsevak in a 32-year-old case in Hubballi.

Karkala MLA and BJP General Secretary V Sunil Kumar was detained by the Sadashivanagar police on Thursday morning for staging a solo protest sitting in front of the police station against the arrest of Srikant Pujari, a karsevak, in connection with a case lodged almost three decades ago in Hubballi during the Ram Janmabhoomi movement.

Kumar, a former minister, protested holding a placard which read 'I am a karsevak of Ayodhya Sri Ram temple, arrest me too.' The police took him into custody as he had not obtained prior permission for the protest.

The MLA sat for the protest amid chants of Jai Sri Ram by his followers.

Kumar said that the campaign has been launched statewide to condemn the Congress government for intimidating karsevaks and Ram devotees. He also added that Srikant Pujari is being portrayed as a criminal but the Mangaluru cooker bomb accused is labelled innocent. He expressed anger over some Congress leaders for writing to the government to set free the accused involved in the KJ Halli and DJ Halli riots.

STATEWIDE PROTEST AGAINST POOJARI'S ARREST

In response to the arrest of karsevak Srikant Poojari in a 32-year-old case in Hubballi recently, BJP leaders, including former ministers, protested across the state on Thursday. In Shivamogga, the police detained BJP workers when they tried to lay siege to the SP's office. Former DyCM KS Eshwarappa, MLA SN Channabasappa, MLC S Rudregowda, former MLC Bhanuprakash and others were detained. In Chikkamagaluru, former BJP national general secretary and ex-MLA C T Ravi staged a sit-in dharna in front of the town police station, amid the rain. Ravi launched a silent protest condemning Poojari's arrest.

'A TIGER THAT SAVED THE FORESTS'

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WILDLIFE conservationists sometimes decry all politicians as hostile to the cause. Yet, in my six decades advocating wildlife conservation, I have seen remarkable exceptions to this sentiment.

Any state forest minister has the potential to have a huge impact — either positive or negative — on conservation. However, the reality he or she faces is more complex if he or she is from the wildlife-rich Malnad region. His or her family, supporters and voters may face animal depredations, official restrictions on tree-felling, and curb on cattle grazing. Or they may lack access to roads, hospitals, schools, and other amenities. Often these impacts arise from legal actions necessary for wildlife recovery.

The funders and voters may expect their politicians to support forest encroachments, illegal forest product collection or even hunting.

On the other hand, politicians from the plains with so little area under forests these factors matter less — They can be far more effective as forest ministers. However, most of them view the forest portfolio as a burden to be shed rather than an opportunity to do good. My story is about an exceptional forest minister from the plains of Karnataka.

When I began interacting with the forest department in the1960s, national wildlife laws were weak. Hunting of predators for official rewards and of prey species for meat or 'crop protection' were rampant. Encroachments of forests were routinely "regularised" because the state forest minister had the legal power. Both official and illegal logging flourished.

At this critical juncture, the then Prime Minister Indira Gandhi turned out to be the visionary who responded to pleadings of conservationists. She rammed through strong wildlife and habitat protection laws. She also shrewdly compensated the state governments for the revenue they lost by releasing additional plan funds if they implemented her new laws.

Under her iron-fisted rule, the Karnataka Government did better than any other state to effectively implement the new conservation laws. This was largely because of a politician from Gadag district in the plains, who had reluctantly assumed the forest portfolio. He bore an apt nickname: Hulakotiya Huli (The Tiger from Hulakoti village). Short statured and built like a battle tank, Kishtagouda Hanumanthagouda Patil was a true force of nature. He turned out to be a force for nature too. He was a "dissident" against Indira's chosen Chief Minister Devaraj Urs. Yet Patil was able unleash a series of radical forest and wildlife conservation measures using the new laws.

Patil was a Gandhian, who rose from the cooperative moment. He was not only incorruptible, but also pugnacious, shrewd and savvy just as Gandhiji was!

Conservation impact Patil made, while holding charge of forests for less than four years, is truly incredible. Patil picked clean, competent forest officials ignoring political pressures.

During his early visits to the forests in Malnad with them, Patil was horrified by the ongoing destruction he saw all around. He acted promptly and aggressively. Patil surrendered his own legal power as a forest minister to "regularise" forest encroachments. This state law inspired Indira to enact the Forest Conservation Act a few years later.

Patil tasked his officials with creating a network Wildlife Protected Areas by upgrading smaller game reserves to Wildlife Sanctuaries, and by carving out entirely new areas out of the Reserved Forests.

Patil acted preemptively to abolish the populist, but highly destructive "pre-paid license system" which permitted thousands of villagers to routinely cut and remove timber forests on bullock carts or headloads. Under Patil's rule, forest encroachments by farmers as well as forest leases to plywood and mining industries were drastically curtailed.

Patil's leadership was the critical key to these remarkable nature recovery efforts in Karnataka.

Surprising as it seems now, they were executed efficiently by a modest forest department, which sported a single chief conservator, five conservators and a couple of dozen deputy conservators, who managed forests across the entire state!

Unfortunately, none of Patil's successors, over past four decades, appear to have imbibed the wisdom that underpinned his achievements.

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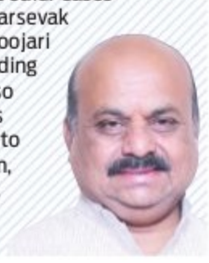
'Intelligence dept failure'

Former CM **Basavaraj Bommai** said that Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara's reaction that his department didn't have any information on Congress MLC B K Hariprasad's statement on karsevaks indicated a total failure of the intelligence department. That piece of information was known to the MLC but not to the intelligence department. Anyone else making such a statement would have been arrested, Bommai added. Congress leaders have accused the BJP of disturbing law and order in the State. In fact, the crime rate had increased during the incumbent government's tenure, he said. Cases against karsevak Srikant Poojari were pending in court, so what was the need to arrest him, he asked.



Parameshwara: No notice to Hariprasad over 'Godhra-like incident' statement

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A day after senior Congress MLC and former Rajya Sabha member BK Hariprasad's "Godhra-like incident in Karnataka" statement triggered a row, Karnataka Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara said that there is no proposal before the Home Department to issue notice to the former seeking an explanation.

"If we start taking action solely based on statements, then we would end up issuing notices to a large number of people," Dr Parameshwara told reporters here.

Reacting to Hariprasad's statement, Parameshwara said that the government doesn't have any information. "If a situation like that rises then our department (police) is capable of handling it. We will not let such things happen," he said.

On Wednesday, Hariprasad had stoked a controversy claiming that there is a possibility of "Godhra-like incident" in Karnataka in the run-up to the consecration ceremony of Ram Mandir in Ayodhya

When pointed to Hariprasad's statement that he has information about a Godhra-like incident happening in Karnataka, including a meeting in Odisha, the minister said in case there is a need, information will be sought from Hariprasad. Parameshwara said as Hariprasad is a senior leader, he must have some information.

When asked if the Home Department will issue a notice to the senior MLC, Dr Parameshwara replied in negative. "This is a sensitive matter and our officials will look into it. We will handle it," he said.

On former MLA Dr Yathindra's statement that India cannot be made a Hindi Rashtra, the home minister said, "Daily one or the other person will be issuing some statement. I cannot answer every statement."

I AM LORD RAM'S DEVOTEE, SAYS CONGRESS MLA IQBAL

BENGALURU: Congress MLA from Ramanagara HA Iqbal Hussain on Thursday said he will celebrate 'Ramotsava' in the coming days. "We are committed to celebrating Ramotsava irrespective of caste, religion or political affiliations in a big way in my constituency," Hussain told reporters here. Stating that Lord Ram is his family God and he is his devotee, the legislator said, "We worship every God. When I was a student, we worshipped Saraswathi and Lakshmi and Ganesha. We also perform puje to Lord Ram." On the Ram Mandir in Ayodhya, the MLA slammed the BJP saying the saffron party was doing it to gain politically." Some people do something for their political gain but Congress never uses God and religion to divide people. Congress has an ideology, commitment and discipline, which I follow," Hussain said, adding that Lord Ram is an emotion and not a commodity. "Our house has a puja room and we have Lord Ram in it. We don't indulge in politics using religion," he added.

If we start taking action solely based on statements, then we would end up issuing notices to a large number of people

Dr G Parameshwara, Home Minister, when asked if an explanation will be sought from MLC BK Hariprasad for his remark

Min Rajanna once again bats for 3 more DyCMs

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COOPERATION Minister **KN Rajanna** on Thursday has brought the issue of appointing three more deputy chief ministers in Karnataka to the fore once again.

"I still stand by what I said earlier. Three more DyCMs should be appointed to give representation to communities to ensure social justice," the minister told reporters here. He further went on to state that the BJP has appointed more than one DyCM in the three states where it won recently.

He was speaking on the sidelines of a meeting organised to review the government's schemes ahead of Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's visit to Tumakuru on January 29. The meeting was also attended by Home Minister Dr G Parameshwara, who is also Tumakuru district minister.

"Ministers Parameshwara and Satish Jarkiholi have also spoken about the need for more DyCMs in the past. But the Congress high command has directed us not to discuss this in public. But considering the political developments after the results of the Assembly polls held in five states recently, Karnataka needs three more DyCMs," he added. Leaders from those communities that backed the Congress should be made DyCMs in Karnataka, he said.

'K'taka model' on menu in AICC manifesto meet

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KARNATAKA Chief Minister Siddaramaiah took part in a crucial AICC manifesto committee meeting for the upcoming Lok Sabha elections in New Delhi on Thursday.

The meeting, which was chaired by former Union Minister P Chidambaram, also discussed the guarantees implemented by the Karnataka government and if the same strategy should be part of the Congress manifesto for the Lok Sabha elections. The meeting also discussed the Congress' Bharat Nyay Yatra to be taken out between Manipur and Maharashtra by party MP Rahul Gandhi.

Siddaramaiah presented his views and the effective implementation of the guarantees in Karnataka, said an informed source.

"Though it was not a Karnataka-specific meeting, the leaders discussed formulating a manifesto that will appeal to the electorate across India. But the Karnataka and Telangana model, as Congress won both the states on the promise of the guarantees, were discussed," the source added.

Chief Minister Siddaramaiah greets cricket legend Sachin Tendulkar at the Delhi airport, on Thursday | EXPRESS

A separate meeting was chaired by Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge in which CLP leaders and PCC presidents from different states participated. The procedure to select candidates, fielding party heavyweights to improve the chances of winning and a comprehensive strategy to tackle BJP over religious issues were discussed in the meeting. Siddaramaiah and DyCM DK Shivakumar gave their inputs. The party's preparedness in Karnataka was also discussed as ministers who worked as observers had already submitted their report on all the 28 seats with a list of probable candidates. "The high command's meeting is like a precursor to the meeting with ministers and legislators Shivakumar has called on January 10. Siddaramaiah and Shivakumar are likely to pass on the message of the top brass to them," a Congress leader told *TNIE*.

Meanwhile, a few ministers of the Siddaramaiah cabinet who are likely to be fielded have started their groundwork. Ministers Eshwar Khandre and Rahim Khan, who have been shortlisted for Bidar seat, will hold a meeting on January 8 to discuss with local Congress leaders, a source said.

Meanwhile, minister KH Muniyappa, who too camped in the national capital, has also sent feelers about his preparedness to contest the Lok Sabha polls.

Meanwhile, there was no discussion on appointments to boards and corporations.

EXPRESS READ

Aadhaar link for drought relief lame excuse: Ex-CM

BENGALURU: The State Government has been giving the lame excuse of Aadhaar linkage for disbursement of drought relief. Already, 69 lakh bank accounts of farmers are linked to Aadhaar, but Chief Minister Siddaramaiah is using this to cover up the State's economic condition, former CM Basavaraj Bommai told reporters here on Thursday. The government had committed to Rs 2,000 payout in the winter session but is now insisting on Aadhaar linkage. It should immediately credit Rs 2,000 in the accounts of farmers, he added. He said that most of the taluks in Karnataka have been declared drought-hit, and both kharif and rabi crops have failed. So far, the government hasn't released any money and work hasn't started. The agriculture department has predicted a fall in food production, but no precautions are being taken, and instead, the State government is pointing fingers at the Centre for everything. The previous governments distributed compensation to farmers without waiting for funds from the Centre. ENS

Starting January 5, the Anmod-Ramanagar NH4A which connects to Goa, will remain closed for the next 20 days for the doubling work taken up by Konkan Railway between Londa and Kulve. Officials said the railway line passes through the highway on this stretch at many places and the closure is necessary to complete the work

Pocso victim's mom, sister chased out of village in Tamil Nadu

SARAVANAN MP @Tiruppur

JUST days after a landlord and a government nurse were arrested in a Pocso case for rape and abortion, the minor victim's mother and sister were chased out of the village by locals for "bringing disrepute to the village".

On December 29, police arrested the 55-year-old man for sexually assaulting a minor girl repeatedly and a nurse attached to Dharapuram Government Hospital for aborting her pregnancy.

Victim's elder sister said, "After the police arrested the two, my sister was sent to a children's shelter in Dharapuram. When neighbours and villagers began to question us, we narrated our ordeal. However, they refused to believe us and instead of helping us, they started arguing and beating us. We were already under emotional stress and unable to face such humiliation. They also said that we had brought disrepute to the entire community and the village. They thrashed us and chased us out of the village."

The victim's uncle said, "Though the girl's sister and mother are safe in my house for the past few days, the person who was the mediator between the landlord and the nurse, is absconding. His elder brother traced us and is forcing us to withdraw the case."

Tamil Nadu Untouchability Eradication Front district secretary (Tiruppur) CK Kanagaraj said, "Police aren't coordinating and are also refusing to help. Local police are yet to give the FIR copy, and we are unable to offer legal support."

Sharmila joins Congress, gears up for LS elections

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AFTER protracted negotiations, YSR Telangana Party (YSRTP) president and daughter of the late YS Rajasekhara Reddy on Thursday merged her party with the Congress and declared her readiness to work for the grand old party, whether in Andhra Pradesh or the Andamans.

Sharmila, sister of YSRC chief and Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister YS Jagan Mohan Reddy, joined the Congress-fold in the presence of party president Mallikarjun Kharge and former president Rahul Gandhi at the AICC headquarters in New Delhi.

Her move comes in the wake of the Congress victory in the recent Assembly elections in Telangana and breathes new life into the party that was uprooted in Andhra Pradesh following the division of the state in 2014.Speaking on the occasion, Sharmila was effusive in her praise of the Congress.

YS Sharmila joins Congress in presence of AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge in New Delhi on Thursday | EXPRESS

"Today, I am very happy to be merging YSRTP into the Congress party. It gives me immense joy that the YSRTP is going to be a part of the Indian National Congress from today onwards," she said, adding that the Congress is still the largest secular party in the country. Recalling her father's desire to see Rahul Gandhi as the prime minister, she said she would work towards realising his dream like a soldier of the party.

Sharmila's entry into the Congress was long-expected and she had in fact endorsed the party in the Telangana Assembly elections. To queries from journalists on her role in the Congress, Sharmila replied that everything would be clear in a couple of days. Highly-placed sources told TNIE that she could be made president of the Andhra Pradesh Congress Committee. It appears that she has made upher mind to do the party's bidding and take any role offered to her. AICC incharge for AP Manickam Tagore and APCC chief Gidugu Rudra Raju were among those present. Veteran Congress leaders in AP are elated with Sharmila 'coming home' as they see in her a 'weapon' to revive the party in the state.

Political circles are abuzz with speculation that Sharmila could dent the prospects of her brother's bid to win elections for the second time in a row.

Demand for withdrawing cases against activists

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KARNATAKA Jala Samrakshana Samiti, which consists of farmers leaders, Kannada activists, and educationalists, has accused the State Government of trying to suppress the agitations by Kannada activists, farmers, anganwadi workers, and guest lecturers. Before coming to power, CM Siddaramaiah used to speak about protests as an important part of democracy, but now his government is suppressing them, the samiti said.

Samiti leader Kuruburu Shantakumar said suppressing the protests by people fighting for language, land, and water is an anti-people move. "The government agencies that are responsible for the implementation of the use of Kannada have become inactive. Instead of ensuring that those agencies work efficiently, the government is suppressing the protests," he said.

He urged the CM to take measures to immediately release arrested activists and withdraw false cases booked against them. Shantakumar said the CM should call a meeting of leaders of all associations to discuss the issue.

Bharat Nyay Yatra: Rahul to cover 4 Odisha dists

Bhubaneswar: Former Congress president Rahul Gandhi will cover four districts during the Bharat Nyay Yatra in Odisha. The yatra will commence in Imphal on Jan 14, and culminate at Mumbai on March 20. The route to be taken by Gandhi was finalised at a meeting convened by the AICC in New Delhi. According to a social media post by Jairam Ramesh, general secretary (communication), Rahul will enter Keonjhar district in Odisha from Jamshedpur and cover Sundargarh, Sambalpur and Jharsuguda. Gandhi will be in Odisha for four days during which he will cover 341 kms. The yatra will mainly be on buses with short stints of padayatras.

BBC, Discovery, Netflix to face contempt for violating interim order

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THE High Court of Karnataka on January 8 will frame charges for contempt of court against 10 accused, including BBC (UK), Discovery and Netflix, for airing the film 'Wild Karnataka' or 'India's Wild Karnataka', violating an interim order passed, restraining them from telecasting the film.

The accused are Sarath Champati, Kalyan Varma, Amoghavarsha J S, Wild Karnataka, Mudskipper Labs Private Limited, Icon Films Ltd., ITV Studios Global Distribution Ltd., Discovery Communications India, British Broadcasting Corporation (BBC), United Kingdom, and Netflix Entertainment Services India LLP.

"We are only considering the prima facie case to direct the accused to answer the charge. The material on record shows that even after the interim order, the footage was in the air, no matter broadcast by whom. To record a precise finding with regard to the involvement of the accused, a trial is necessary.

In our opinion, there is sufficient material on record to frame charges against the accused," a division bench of Justice P S Dinesh Kumar and Justice T G Shivashankare Gowda said, after hearing a civil contempt petition filed by Ravindra N Redkar and Ullash Kumar R K on Thursday, while posting the matter to January 8 for framing of charges.

The contempt petition was filed for violating an interim order passed by court, restraining Sarath Champati, Kalyan Varma, Amoghavarsha, Wild Karnataka and Mudskipper and anyone claiming under or through them from using, publishing, reproducing, broadcasting, telecasting, marketing, selling, distributing, exhibiting or in any way dealing with the film or raw footage captured by Sarath, Kalyan Varma and Amoghavarsha and their team under the MoU dated November 3, 2014, with the Karnataka forest department.

The interim order dated June 29, 2021, was passed after hearing the petition filed by Ravindra N Redkar and Ullash Kumar, contending that though the film was intended to be on a non-profit basis to promote conservation and for educational purpose, Sarath, Kalyan Varma and Amoghavarsha commercially sold it for profit without the knowledge or approval of the KFD, and the film was distributed in over 100 countries to airlines, broadcasters, networks, channels, streaming partners and theatres.

They also alleged that three persons had pocketed millions of rupees without remitting any amount towards the Tiger Reserve Fund. KFD officials waived all shooting fees and deposits and the state's vehicles and drivers were utilised. Boarding and lodging were also given at forest resthouses for free.

IMD forecasts rain over coastal, SI Karnataka

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THE India Meteorological Department (IMD) has forecast rainfall over coastal and south interior Karnataka for the next four days. It has also issued an 'Yellow' alert for Dakshina Kannada, Udupi, Chikkamagaluru, Hassan, Mandya, Mysuru and parts of South-interior Karnataka. According to IMD, there is a cyclonic circulation over south- east Arabian Sea and adjoining Lakshwadeep area.

There is also a trough running above the cyclonic circulation to south Karnataka in the lower tropospheric level. IMD Senior Scientist Prasad said that due to the formation of the systems, most parts of south-interior Karnataka and coastal districts are witnessing rain. He said the same will continue till the weekend.

He added that parts of Bengaluru has been experiencing light drizzle. He said this will continue for the next couple of days.

Prasad added that due to the cloud cover, the maximum temperature in Bengaluru will drop by 1-2 degrees Celsius and the minimum temperature will rise by 1-2 degrees Celsius. There will also be no fog till cloud cover clears. However, strong winds are expected to prevail during morning and evening hours.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, MEETA BHANDARI, aged 43 yrs, W/o. Rajesh Kumar Jain, residing at Kathik Mension 4th Floor, Nagarathpet Main Road, Bengaluru- 560002 have changed my name from **MEETA JAIN TO MEETA BHANDARI** vide affidavit dated 04-01-2024 sworn before Advocate and Notary Vani G.K, Bengaluru

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GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
HYDERABAD METROPOLITAN WATER SUPPLY & SEWERAGE BOARD
O/o Chief General Manager (Engg), O&M Circle No.V, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad - 94. T.S.
e-TENDER NOTICE

e-Tender Notice No. & Date	Name of Work	Estimate Contract Value
441 /CGM(E)/V O&MC- V/ 2023-24, Date: 05.01.2024	supply, delivery and pipe line strengthening work including installation of valves and chambers for eqytable water supply with laying of 200/150mm dia at Road no.22 from Plot No.490 to 308 and Road No.35 from Plot No.745 to 1429 and Road No.36 from Plot No.764 to 906 and Road No.38 to 46 from Plot No.785 to 938 and Road No.4,7,8,10,13,21 and 35 and Providing by-Pass arrangements at 2000KL Capacity ELSR in Uppal Bhagayath Phase-I under Uppal Section, Sub Divn-II, O&M Division. XIV, Uppal.	Rs. 392.00 Lakhs

(1) Tender Document will be available online from **dt: 05.01.2024 from 5.00 PM onwards** and the last date for receipt of tenders is **dt: 19.01.2024.** (2) Name & address of Chief General Manager (Engg). Concerned - **Chief General Manager (Engg), O&M Circle-V, HMWSSB, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad-500094.** (3) The Contractors /firms are requested to upload the information in the "ZIP" format preferably. (4) Further details can be seen on @ **http://tender.telangana.gov.in.**
Sd/- Chief General Manager (Engg), O&M Circle No.V, Sainikpuri, Secunderabad - 94. T.S.

KARNATAKA URBAN WATER SUPPLY & DRAINAGE BOARD KALABURAGI ZONE, KALABURAGI
Office of the Chief Engineer KUWS & D Board, Kalaburagi Zone,
"Jalbhavan", Rajapur, Kusnoor Road, Kalaburagi – 585105. Tel : 08472-220817, Fax : 08472-260818, E-mail ID : kwbceklb14@gmail.com
No. KWB/CE(K)/TEC/DCE/TA/AE-1/Aland/AMRUT2/Corrigendum/2023-24/1174 Dt: 04-01-2024
:: CORRIGENDUM-I ::
1) Detail of Work: "Providing Water Supply Scheme to Aland Town in Kalaburagi District with Amarja Reservoir as Source Under AMRUT 2.0 including O&M for a Period of 5 Years (including 1 Year Defects Liability Period) through Design, Build, Operate and Transfer (DBOT) Mode (Lumpsum) - No Variation". **Work Indent No : KUWSDB/2023-24 / WS / WORK_INDENT81,** 2) Last Date and Time for receipt of Tenders : **12-01-2024 Up to 17:30 Hours,** 3) Date and Time for Opening of Tenders : **16-01-2024 After 11:00 Hours.**
Sd/- Chief Engineer
DIPR/Kalaburagi/648/KSMC&A/2023-24 **KUWS & D Board, Kalaburagi Zone, Kalaburagi**

Government of Karnataka
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(Autonomous institution of Govt. Of Karnataka)
E-mail directorgimsgulbarga@gmail.com Phone No.: 08472-260252.
No. GIMS/KLB/TENDER/Diet/CR-31/2023-24/2420 Date: 03/01/2024
TENDER NOTIFICATION (THROUGH E-PROCUREMENT)
Gulbarga Institute of Medical Sciences, Kalaburagi invites tender for eligible bidders in bid system (Techno-commercial Bid & Financial Bid) in e-procurement mode for the supply of prepared diet food for Inpatients, Details are available in the site: http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in. Last date and time for upload of e-tender in E-procurement platform as follows.
1) Commencement of download of e-Tender Form from website- http//kppp.karnataka.gov.in : No. **GIMS/KLB/TENDER/DIET/CR-31/2023-24 Date:02/01/2024 DME/2023-24/SE0139,** 2) Last Date for Queries on or before : **08-01-2024 @ 05:00pm**, 3) Pre bid meeting: **09-01-2024 @ 12:30pm,** 4) Last Date for Uploading of Tender in e-procurement platform on or before: **16-01-2024 @ 4.30pm,** 5) Opening of Techno-Commercial Bid : **17-01-2024 @ 5:00Pm**, 6) Opening of Tenders Financial bid : **19-01-2024 @ 11:30am**, 7) Tender amount: Rs. **1,99,80,000/-,** 8) EMD Rs.3,00,000/-, 9) Contact Details : Director, GIMS Kalaburagi, Veeresh Nagar, Sedam Road, Kalaburagi-585105, 08472 260252, Mob: 9986082242, 9482093568
Sd/- Director
Gulbarga Institute of Medical Sciences, Kalaburagi
DIPR/Kalaburagi/647/KSMC&A/2023-24

Public Notice For E-Auction Cum Sale (Appendix - IV A) (Rule 8(6))
Sale of Immovable property mortgaged to IIFL Home Finance Limited (Formerly known as India Infoline Housing Finance Ltd.) (IIFL-HFL) Corporate Office at Plot No.98,Udyog Vihar, Phase-IV,Gurgaon-122015,(Haryana) and **Branch Office at:- ""ADAM CHAMBERS," #11, Richmond Road, Bengaluru - 560025"** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter "Act"). Whereas the Authorized Officer ("AO") of IIFL-HFL had taken the possession of the following property/ies pursuant to the notice issued U/S 13(2) of the Act in the following loan accounts/prospect nos. with a right to sell the same on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS, AS IS WHAT IS BASIS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE BASIS" for realization of IIFL-HFL's dues, The Sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the website: www.iiflonehome.com

Borrower(s) / Co-Borrower (s)/ Guarantor(s)	Demand Notice Date and Amount	Description of the Immovable property/ Secured Asset	Date of Physical Possession	Reserve Price
1. Mr. Sree Kumar Punnia Murthy 2. Mrs. Shalini Vadana Ruban (Prospect No. 717875)	28-Feb-2019 Rs. 23,91,243/- (Rupees Twenty Three Lakh Ninety One Thousand Two Hundred Forty Three Only) Bid Increase Amount Rs. 25,000/- (Rupees Twenty Five Thousand Only)	All that part and parcel of the property bearing Apartment No. A4-332, 3 Floor alongwith one covered car parking , Block No. A, Building "Vbhc Vaibhava",H Gollahalli Gram Panchayat, situated at Doddabele Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore south Taluk Bangalore-560060 (Built up area admeasuring 750 sq. ft.)	16-June-2023 Total Outstanding as on Date 04-Dec-2023 Rs. 27,57,999/- (Rupees Twenty Seven Lakh Fifty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Nine Only)	Rs. 20,50,000/- (Rupees Twenty Lakh Fifty Thousand Only) Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs. 2,05,000/- (Rupees Two Lakh Five Thousand Only)

Date of Inspection of property	EMD Last Date	Date/ Time of E-Auction
18-Jan-2024 1100 hrs -1400 hrs	23-Jan-2024 till 5 pm.	25-Jan-2024 1100 hrs.-1300 hrs.

Mode Of Payment :- EMD payments are to be made vide online mode only. To make payments you have to visit https://www.iiflonehome.com and pay through link available for the property/ Secured Asset only.
Note: Payment link for each property/ Secured Asset is different. Ensure you are using link of the property/ Secured Asset you intend to buy vide public auction.
For balance payment, upon successful bid, has to pay through RTGS/NEFT. The accounts details are as follows: a) Name of the Account:- IIFL Home Finance Ltd., b) Name of the Bank:- Standard Chartered Bank, c) Account No:-9902879xxxxx followed by Prospect Number, d) IFSC Code:- SCBL0036001, e) Bank Address: Standard Chartered Bank, 90 M.G. Road, Fort, Mumbai-400001.
TERMS AND CONDITIONS:-
1. For participating in e-auction, Intending bidders required to register their details with the Service Provider **https://www.iiflonehome.com**, well in advance and has to create the login account, login ID and password. Intending bidders have to submit / send their "Tender FORM" along with the payment details towards EMD, copy of the KYC and PAN card at the above mentioned Branch Office.
2. The bidders shall improve their offer in multiple of amount mentioned under the column "Bid Increase Amount". In case bid is placed in the last 5 minutes of the closing time of the auction, the closing time will automatically get extended for 5 minutes.
3. The successful bidder should deposit **25% of the bid amount (after adjusting EMD) within 24 hours** of the acceptance of bid price by the AO **and** the balance 75% of the bid amount within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. All deposit and payment shall be in the prescribed mode of payment.
4. The purchaser has to bear the cess, applicable stamp duty, fees, and any other statutory dues or other dues like municipal tax, electricity charges, land and all other incidental costs, charges including all taxes and rates outgoings relating to the property.
5. Bidders are advised to go through the website https://www.iiflonehome.com and https://www.iifl.com/home-loans/properties-for-auction for detailed terms and conditions of auction sale & auction application form before submitting their Bids for taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.
6. **For details, help procedure and online training on e-auction prospective bidders may contact the service provider E mail ID:- auction.hl@iifl.com, Support Helpline Numbers:@1800 2672 499**
7. **For any query related to Property details, Inspection of Property and Online bid etc. call IIFL HFL toll free no. 1800 2672 499 from 09:30 hrs to 18:00 hrs between Monday to Friday or write to email:- auction.hl@iifl.com**
8. Notice is hereby given to above said borrowers to collect the household articles, which were lying in the secured asset at the time of taking physical possession within 7 days, otherwise IIFL-HFL shall not be responsible for any loss of property under the circumstances.
9. Further the notice is hereby given to the Borrower/s, that in case they fail to collect the above said articles same shall be sold in accordance with Law.
10. In case of default in payment at any stage by the successful bidder / auction purchaser within the above stipulated time, the sale will be cancelled and the amount already paid will be forfeited (including EMD) and the property will be again put to sale.
11. AO reserves the rights to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and condition of tender/auction without assigning any reason thereof. In case of any dispute in tender/Auction, the decision of AO of IIFL-HFL will be final.

15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER THE RULE 9 SUB RULE (1) OF SARFAESI ACT, 2002
The Borrower are hereby notified to pay the sum as mentioned above along with upto dated interest and ancillary expenses before the date of Tender/Auction, failing which the property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues if any will be recovered with interest and cost.
Place:- Bangalore , Date: 05-Jan-2024 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, IIFL Home Finance Limited.**

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The Institute invites applications for the following non-teaching posts to be filled up on direct recruitment/ deputation basis at AIIA, New Delhi and its Satellite Centre at AIIA, Goa: -

S. No.	Posts	No. of Posts/ Category	Place of Posting	Pay Scale	Mode of Recruitment
1.	Medical Superintendent	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-13	Deputation
2.	Scientist-D (Integrated Translational Research)	2 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-12	Direct Recruitment failing which by Deputation
3.	Scientist-C (Integrated Translational Research)	3 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-11	
4.	Jr. Staff Surgeon (Dental)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-11	
5.	Staff Surgeon (Dental)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-12	Deputation failing which by Direct Recruitment
6.	Medical Officer (Casualty)	3 (UR), 1 (OBC)	2 New Delhi, 2 Goa	Level-10	Direct Recruitment
7.	Staff Nurse	18 (UR), 10 (OBC), 5 (SC), 3 (ST), 4 (EWS)	34 New Delhi, 6 Goa	Level-7	
8.	CSSD Assistant	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-5	Direct Recruitment failing which by Deputation
9.	Sanitary Inspector	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-5	
10.	Sr. Yoga Instructor	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-7	Deputation failing which by Direct Recruitment
11.	Junior Medical Record Officer	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-5	
12.	Sr. Pharmacist	1 (UR)	Goa	Level-6	Deputation
13.	CSSD Supervisor	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
14.	Medical Lab Technologist (Medical Lab Technology)	1 (UR), 1 (EWS)	New Delhi	Level-6	Direct Recruitment
15.	Medical Lab Technologist (Chemistry)	1 (OBC)	New Delhi	Level-6	
16.	Medical Lab Technologist (Bio-Chemistry)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
17.	Medical Lab Technologist (Zoology)	1 (ST)	New Delhi	Level-6	
18.	Medical Lab Technologist (Microbiology)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
19.	Medical Lab Technologist (Bio-Technology)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
20.	Medical Lab Technologist (Botany)	1 (UR), 1 (OBC)	New Delhi	Level-6	
21.	Research Assistant (Pharmacology)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
22.	Research Assistant (Ayurveda Pharmacy)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
23.	Research Assistant (MedicinalPlant)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
24.	Research Assistant (Biochemistry)	1 (OBC)	New Delhi	Level-6	
25.	Research Assistant (Microbiology/Pathology)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
26.	Jr. Physiotherapist (Neuro)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
27.	Jr. Physiotherapist (Ortho)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
28.	Jr. Physiotherapist (Pedia)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
29.	Audiometrist	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
30.	Optometrist	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
31.	MRI Technician	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
32.	Radiology Assistant	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-5	
33.	Anesthesiology Assistant	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-5	
34.	Ophthalmic Technician	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-5	
35.	Sonography Assistant	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-4	
36.	Panchakarma Therapist	4 (UR), 1 (OBC)	New Delhi	Level-2	
37.	Lab Attendant	1 (UR), 2 (OBC), 1 (EWS)	New Delhi	Level-2	
38.	Pharmacist	7 (UR), 3 (OBC), 1 (SC), 1 (EWS)	New Delhi	Level-5	
39.	Panchakarma Technician	6 (UR), 2 (OBC), 1 (SC), 1 (EWS), 5 (Deputation)	New Delhi	Level-4	5 by Deputation, 10 by Direct Recruitment
40.	Principal Private Secretary	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-11	Deputation/ Promotion
41.	Finance Advisor	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-12	Deputation
42.	Computer Programmer	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-11	
43.	Store Officer	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-10	
44.	Private Secretary	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-7	
45.	Assistant	2 (UR)	New Delhi/Goa	Level-6	
46.	Security Officer	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
47.	Upper Division Clerk	4 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-4	
48.	Joint Director (Admin)	1 (UR)	New Delhi/Goa	Level-13	Deputation failing which by Direct Recruitment
49.	Sr. Administrative Officer	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-10	
50.	Assistant Store Officer	2 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
51.	Librarian	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-7	Direct Recruitment
52.	Junior Hindi Translator	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
53.	Junior Engineer (Civil)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
54.	Junior Engineer (Biomedical)	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-6	
55.	Lower Division Clerk	1 (UR)	New Delhi	Level-2	
56.	Store Keeper	1 (SC)	New Delhi	Level-2	

For details of qualification, experience, prescribed format of application, and terms & conditions, please visit AIIA's website **https://aiia.gov.in** and **https://aiiarecruitment.org.** Last date of receipt of applications is **31st January, 2024.**
Director

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DEMAND NOTICE

(IN PURSUANCE WITH SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

GIC Housing Finance Ltd. (GICHFL) has sanctioned Housing loan to the following borrower to purchase/Mortgage/Renovation and Construction of premises by creating equitable mortgage in favor of GICHFL. The repayment of the loan(s) is irregular and the account(s) is finally classified as Non Performing Asset in accordance with directions and guidelines of National Housing Bank.

GICHFL has therefore invoked its rights under section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI ACT, 2002 and called upon the borrower to repay the total outstanding due mentioned therein, within 60 days from the date of the said Demand notice(s).

The borrower is hereby again called upon publicly to pay the said total dues plus the charges & interest accrued till date within 60 days from the date of this notice failing which GICHFL shall resort to all or any of the legal rights to TAKE POSSESSION of the said property and dispose it and adjust the proceeds against the outstanding dues amount. The borrower is also restrained from alienating or creating third party interest on the ownership of the property.

Sr. No	Name Of The Borrower & Co-Borrower/Loan File No./ Branch Name	Address Of The Mortgaged Property	Outstanding Dues As Per Demand Notice (Amt. In Rs.)	Date Of Demand Notice Sent
1	**KA0020110002555/ KA0020610002166/BANGALORE / MR.KOWSAR MOHAMED S/O MR PEER AHMED MRS ASMA KHANAM W/O MR.KOWSAR MOHAMED**	Northern Portion Of Site No 61/2, Bbmp B Khatha Sl No 2250 Situated At Vijinapura K R Puram Hobli,Bangalore East Taluk, Comes Under The Jurisdiction Of Bbmp, Previously Under The Limits Of Krishnarajapuram Cmc Bangalore Measuring East To West 55 Feet And North To South 22 Feet In All Measuring 1,210 Sq.Ft., And The Property Is Bounded On (Secured Assets). East By-10 Feet Road,West By -Property Belongs To Muniswamappa,North By-Property Belongs To K Manjuanth,South By- Same Property No 61/2.	Rs.16,52,702 & Rs.37,04,426/-	21.12.2023 & 21.12.2023
2	**KA0020110004052/ BANGALORE / MR.S GOPALASETTY S/O MR SHAMANNA**	Khaneshmari No.209, Khatha No.463, New Bbmp Form 'B'Is Sl No.328 Situated At Kadugodi Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk Formerly Bangalore South Taluk, Now Comes Under The Jusrisdiction Of Bbmp, Bangalore (Secured Assets). Measuring East To West 33 Feet And North To South 20 Feet, In All Totally Measuring 660 Sq.Ft., And Property Bounded On: East By -House Of Sri. Kempaiah,West By -Road,North By-House Of Sri. Hemanna,South By-House Of Sri. Paramshivaiah.	Rs.22,62,938/-	21.12.2023
3	**KA0020610001618/ BANGALORE / MR.SUMOD SRIDHARAN S/O MR.SREEDHARAN K**	Northern Portion Of Site No.48, Khatha No.48, Assessment No.317, Formed In Converted Survey No.76/1, And 76/2, Converted For Non-Agricultural Residential Purposes Vide Its Order No. Alnsr (B)189/2007-2008, Dated 27.12.2008, Issued By Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District Situated At Maragondanahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore (Secured Assets). Measuring East To West 59 Feet And North To South 19 Feet, In All Totally Measuring 1121 Sq.Ft., And Bounded On: East By -Private Property,West By - Road, North By -Site No.47,South By-Remaining Portion Of Site No.48.	Rs.21,53,530/-	21.12.2023
4	**KA0020610002226/ BANGALORE / MR.RAMASWAMY KANNAN RAJENDRAN S/O KANNAN PERUMAL RAMASWAMY AND MRS.RAJENDRAN SUKANYA W/O RAMASWAMY KANNAN RAJENDRAN**	Site No.68, Khatha No.68, Assessment No.337, New Khatha No 2480/68, Formed In Converted Survey No.76/1, And 76/2, Converted For Non-Agricultural Residential Purposes Vide Its Order No. Alnsr (E)(B)189/2007-2008, Dated 27.12.2008, Issued By Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District Situated At Maragondanahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore (Secured Assets). Measuring East To West 50 Feet And North To South 30 Feet, In All Totally Measuring 1500 Sq.Ft., And Bounded On: East By - 30 Feet Road, West By - Site No.81,North By - Site No.69,South By - Site No.67.	Rs.36,72,599/-	21.12.2023
5	**KA0020610002795/ BANGALORE / MR.N PANDARINATHAN S/ OF MR S NAGAPPA NAIDU MRS.APARNA P WIFE OF N PANDARINATHAN**	Site No 22 Khatha No 8/5/22 Situated At Dottabettahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Now Comes Under Bbmp Limits. Measuring East To West 50 Feet North To South 30 Feet Totally Measuring 1500 Sq. Ft And The Property Is Bounded On (Secured Assets). East By -25 Feet Wide Road,West By -Site No 34,North By -Site No 23,South By -Site No 21.	Rs.35,89,005/-	21.12.2023
6	**KA0020610002921/ BANGALORE / MR.A ARUN KUMAR S/O MR. ANJANAPPA**	Flat No.405, 4Th Floor, Anjanadri Apartments, Measuring Super Built Up Area Of 1220 Sq.Ft., Situated At Industrial Suburb, 2Nd Stage Rajajinagar (Yeshwanthapura), 2Nd Main Road, Bangalore And Property Is Bounded On :East By : Common Passage & Flat No.402, West By : Open To Sky,North By: Flat No.406,South By: Flat No.404.	RS.47,34,843/-	21.12.2023
7	**KA0020610002851 & KA0020610004251/ BANGALORE / MRS. M. RATHNAMMA W/O M MUNISWAMAPPA MR.MANJUNATH. R S/O RAMAKRISHNAPPA**	Site No.64, Sy No.105/1, E- Property No.150300401000102670 Situated At Doddagattiganabbi, Kannuru Village Hosakote Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, Bangalore. Measuring East To West 30 Feet And North To South 40 Feet, In All Totally Measuring 1200 Sq.Ft., And The Property Is Bounded On (Secured Assets). East By - 20 Feet Road, West By - Survey No 13/3 Property, North By - Site No.65, South By - Site No.63.	Rs.22,64,744/-	21.12.2023
8	**KA0020610003024/BANGALORE / MR.C VAJRAPPA S/O MR. CHINNAPPA MRS.NAGAMMA P W/O MR.C VAJRAPPA**	Khatha No.110/3, Property No.110/3 Situated At B.Narayapura Village, Krishnarajapura Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Now Comes Under Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Area. Measuring East To West 57 ½ Feet And North To South 29Feet Total In All Measuring 1667 ½ Sq.Ft., And Bounded On: East By -House Belongs To Sundaram,West By - Road,North By -5 Feet Passage Left By The Vendors Thereafter Property Belongs To A.V.Chikka Krihnappa,South By - Property Belongs To Ramareddy.	Rs.27,15,323/-	21.12.2023
9	**KA0020610003061/BANGALORE / MR.SAMAVEL MOSAS S/O DEVARAJU MRS.DEENA VOILEN W/O SAMAVEL MOSAS**	Site No.61, Khatha No.252 Formed In Assmt No:25/2 & 25/3 Situated At Abbigere Village, Yashawanthpura Hobli,Bangalore North Taluk Presenty Comes Under The Limits Of Bbmp Ward No 12 Bangalore Measuring East To West 30 North To South 50 Ft Totally Measuring 1,500 Sq.Ft., And The Property Is Bounded On (Secured Assets). East By - Site No 62,West By - Site No 60,North By - 30 Feet Road,South By - Private Property.	RS.50,27,025/-	21.12.2023
10	**KA0020610003374/BANGALORE / MR.RADHAKRISHNANA THIRUPATHI S/O MR MATHIALAGAN MRS.D MADHURI W/O RADHAKRISHNANA**	Flat No. Flat No B-1- 2132, 13Th Floor, Block 2, Sobha Silicon Oasis Apartment Situated At Beretana Agrahara, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk Measuring Super Built Up Area Of 1103.224 Sq.Ft., And The Property Is Bounded On (Secured Assets). East By - Open To Sky, West By - Common Passage & Lift,North By - Staircase & Thereafter Flat No B-1 2133,South By- Open To Sky.	RS.98,43,619/-	21.12.2023
11	**KA0020610003494/BANGALORE / MR.RANJANKUMAR. H. R S/O MR. H. G. RATHNAKARA**	Flat No.11, Ground Floor, Malnad Siri Apartments, Measuring 1,760Sq.Ft Of Super Built Up Area Situated At Alahalli Village, Uttarahali Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore And Bounded On: East By -Flat No.07,West By -Flat No.09,North By -Corridor,South By - Private Property.	RS.54,00,800/-	21.12.2023
12	**KA0020610004131/BANGALORE / MRS.RANI BABY W/O B SAMSON MR.B SAMSON S/O B BABANNA**	Nortern Portion Of Site No 59, Khatha No.68/59/59/3, Issued By Bbmp Situated At Thindlu Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk Measuring East To West 30 Feet North To South 20 Feet Totally Measuring 600 Sq.Ft. And The Property Is Bounded On (Secured Assets). East By -Shri Narayana Gowda Sold To Shri Bhimasen,West By - 15 Feet Remaining Portion Of Same Property,North By -Road,South By -45 Feet Remaining Portion Of Same Property.	RS.40,17,813/-	21.12.2023
13	**KA0590100000612/ YELAHANKA / MR. K KRISHNAIAH S/O MR. KEMPAIAH & MS. SHILPA. K D/O MR. KRISHNAIAH KEMPAIAH**	Site No.45, Khatha No.49/12 Situated At Hurulichikkanahalli Village, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore, Measuring East To West 30Ft And North To South 41Ft, In All Totally Measuring 1230Sq.Ft., And Bounded On: East By -Property No.46,West By -Property No.44,North By-30 Ft Road,South By -Private Property.	Rs.23,40,233/-	21.12.2023
14	**KA0590600000178/YELAHANKA / MR. KAMAL BAIDYA S/O MR. SUBRATA BAIDYA**	Khatha No.829, Gramathana Vacant Site Property No.10/110/2 And Khatha No.830, Gramathana Vacant Site Property No.11/110/2 Situated At Forest Wood Layout,Handarahalli Village, Channarayapatna Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. Measuring East To West Northern Side 42.25Ft And Southern Side 42.8Ft And North To South 60Ft, In All Totally Measuring 2551.5 Sq.Ft., And Bounded On: East By -Road,West By -Private Property,North By- Site No.12,South By -Site No.09.	Rs.14,42,197/-	21.12.2023
15	**KA0590600000240/YELAHANKA / MR. RAGHAVENDRA DASHARATHA S/O MR. K. R. DASHARATHA RAMAIAH & MRS. ANANTHARAMACHAR DEEPIKA W/O MR. RAGHAVENDRA DASHARATH**	Vacant Site No.79, Khatha No.1690(1690/153/79), Sy No'S.153, 154, 160/1, 2, 3 & 5, New Property No.(Pid No.)150200301700201702 Situated At Ganesha Nagar, Kurubarahalli Village, Tavareke Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore. Measuring East To West 50Ft And Southern Side 33Ft And North To South 60Ft, In All Totally Measuring 1650 Sq.Ft., And Bounded On: East By - 30 Feet Road,West By - Site No.58,North By- Site No.80,South By - 30 Feet Road.	Rs.13,28,778/-	21.12.2023
16	**KA0590600000663/YELAHANKA / MR. REAGAN. R S/O MR. KUMAR ROBERT MR. R. RICHARD S/O MR. KUMAR ROBERT MR. THAPLES ROBERT KUMAR**	Site No'S.31 & 39, Khatha No.205/1, Old No.177 As Per Tax Paid Khatha No.1467/2/691/1 Situated At Vibhuthipura, K.R.Puram Hobli, Banglore East Taluk Now Comes Under Bbmp, Bangalore. Measuring East To West 20 Ft And North To South 30 Ft, In All Totally Measuring 600 Sq.Ft., And Bounded On: East By -Road,West By - Private Property,North By - Road,South By -Private Property.	RS.15,50,808/-	21.12.2023
17	**KA0590600000689/YELAHANKA / MR. SRIKANTH RAJ MAHESHRAJ URS S/O MR. KOLAGALA NANJARAJ**	Property Bearing Flat No.407, 4Th Floor, Paramount 'A' Apartments Situated At Kammasandra Village, Anekal Taluk, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District. Measuring 992 Sq.Ft., Of Super Built Up Area, Having Rcc Roofing, Along With Water, Sanitary And Electrical Connection, With One Car Parking Slot And Bounded On: East By -Open To Sky,West By - Flat No.406, North By - Open To Sky,South By-Open To Sky.	RS.37,85,320/-	21.12.2023
18	**KA0670600000424/ELECTRONIC CITY / MR. DASARI NAGESWARARAO S/O MR. DASARI SRINIVASARAO**	Property Bearing Flat No.G-2, Ground Floor, Sai Balaji Residency Apartments Measuring 1005Sq.Ft., Of Super Built Up Area Situated At Hagadur Extension (Colony), Hagadur Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore. East By: Common Passage & Flat No:G 1, West By: Open To Sky, North By: Open To Sky, South By: Open To Sky	Rs.30,91,650/-	21.12.2023
19	**KA0670600000781/ELECTRONIC CITY / MR. HARIKRISHNA BEERANGI S/O MR. SREENIVASULU BEERANGI**	Flat No.305, 3Rd Floor, Sri Tirumala'S Tranquil Residency Apartments, Measuring Super Built Up Area Of 1080Sq.Ft., Situated At Narayanagatta Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore. Property Bounded Are East By:Duct & Flat No: 306,West By: Open To Sky, North By: Staircase & Flat No 304,South By: Open To Sky.	Rs.27,76,873/-	21.12.2023
20	**KA0670600000834/ELECTRONIC CITY / MR. V. SUNIL S/O MR. C.R.V. RAJU MRS. ASHA. N W/O MR. V. SUNIL**	Southern Portion Of Site No.6B, Property Bearing No.106/1A1, Khatha No.592/2, Situated At Annasandrapalya, Vibuthipura, Mujare, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk Now Comes Under Bbmp, Bangalore. Measuring East To West 49Ft And North To South 26.8Ft, In All Totally Measuring 1313.2Sq.Ft., And Bounded On: East By : Property Belongs To C. Nanjappa, West By : Property Belongs To Chikkabbaiah,North By :Road,South By: Property Belongs To Yellappa And Muniraja Reddy.	RS.13,27,836/-	21.12.2023
21	**KA0670600000871/ELECTRONIC CITY / MR. VIJAYABHASKAR. V S/O MR. VIJAYABHASKAR MALLIKARJUNA LAGHACHERLA**	Flat No.301, 3Rd Floor, Sunil Grandeur Apartments Measuring 1130Sq.Ft., Of Super Built Up Area Situated At Horamavu Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Presently Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore And Bounded On: East By -Open To Sky, West By - Open To Sky, North By -Open To Sky, South By -Lift Staircase, Lift & Flat No.302.	RS.52,06,020/-	21.12.2023
22	**KA0670600001036/ELECTRONIC CITY / MR. SURESH. G S/O MR. VENUGOPAL NAIDU GADUPURI MRS. B. PAVITHRA W/O MR. SURESH. G**	Property Bearing Site No.17, Khatha No.15/1 & 40/8, Old Ward No.55, New Ward No.183 Situated At 2Nd Cross, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar, Ittamadu Village, Banashankari 3Rd Stage, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore (Secured Assets). Measuring East To West 40 Feet And North To South 30 Feet In All Measuring A Total Extent Of 1200 Sqft., And Bounded On: East By - 30 Feet Road, West By -Site No.20,North By -Site No.18, South By - Site No.16.	RS.21,71,002/-	21.12.2023
23	**KA0670600001082/ELECTRONIC CITY / MRS. HADIYA ALI**	Flat No.G-104, Ground Floor, Intact Avenue Apartments Measuring Super Built Up Area Of 1256 Sq.Ft., New Bbmp Khatha No.95/3, 307/2, G-104 Situated Begur Village, Begur Hobli, Ward No.192, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore. Property Bounded Is East By: Passage West By: Open To Sky,North By: Flat No: G 103,South By: Open To Sky	RS. 34,37,078/-	21.12.2023

THIS NOTICE WILL ALSO BE PASTED ON THE OUTER DOOR OF THE BORROWER LAST KNOWN ADDRESS AND AT THE MORTGAGED PROEPRTY.

For GIC Housing Finance Ltd.
Sd/-
Authorised Officer

Date : 05.01.2024
Place : BANGALORE

PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY
e-TENDER CALL NOTICE
No. EM/PED-01/2024

No.:EM/PED/TECH-25/2022/685 Date: 01/01/2024

Name of the Work: Design, Engineering, Supply, Installation, Testing and Commissioning of Shore to Ship Power Supply Facility at Coal Berth-I and Coal Berth-II at Paradip Port Authority on Turnkey basis. Estimated Cost: **Rs.12,83,38,000/-.** Last date & time of submission of bid : **dt.28/01/2024 up to 1700 Hrs.** Refer our website for details **https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app.**

Sd/- Executive Engineer (E), PED-I
PPA/PR/76/2023-2024 dtd.03.01.2024

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR LOST DOCUMENT

My Client **Mr. NAYAN KUMAR. B. S,** S/o Mr. P. Subramani, Resident of No: 317, "Sai Sannidhi Nilaya", Belathur, Kadugodi, Bangalore - 560067, has irretrievable **lost the original Rectification Deed dated 10/12/2014,** Registered as Document No: **BNS-1-15233-2014-15, CD No: BNSD341, registered** at the office of the sub registrar Banaswadi and **Confirmation Deed dated 11/03/2014 Registered on 25/03/2014,** as Document No: **INR-1-09639-2013-14, CD No: INRD90** at the office of the sub registrar Indiranagar, My Client has Lodged a Police Complaint for lost article on 04/01/2024 under acknowledgment issued by the Bangalore City Police, bearing SL No.875589, Lost Report No.0875589/2024.

If any person/s found the said sale deed please come forward with in a period of 7 days from the date of publication of this notice and hand over the same to the under signed, will be suitably rewarded. If anyone has already carried out any transaction or any transaction is in the process of being carried out using the missing document, kindly inform the undersigned party in writing at the below mentioned address within 07 days from this paper publication. Else there won't be any further claims from thereon.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Site No: 24, Khata No: 288, measuring East to West: 60 Feet and North to South: 50 Feet, in all measuring 3000 Square Feet in the layout formed in Sy Nos: 29/2, 29/3B & 29/3A, Situated at Sadaramangala Village, Krishnarajapuram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk.

Radesh Krishnamurthy BE, LLB, LL.M
DIRECTOR MKM LEGAL SOLUTIONS PVT LTD
Contact No.: 9008242426
Mail: radesh@mkmlegalsolutions.com
Office at: 3rd Floor, SMN Complex, Opp DSR Apex, Thubarahalli, Bengaluru-560067.

REPCO HOME FINANCE LIMITED

YELAHANKA BRANCH :
No.954, 1st Floor, 16th "B" Cross, Yelahanka New Town, Bengaluru - 560 064.

DEMAND NOTICE

Sl.No.1: Borrower : Mr. P. Samykannan, S/o. C. Ponnusamy, No. 11, Ward No. 191, Baburaj Layout, Singasandra, Hosur Main Road, Bangalore - 560 068. Also at: M/s. Swamy Enterprises, No. 5/7, Kavery Nilaya, Munireddy Layout, GB Palya, Hosur Road, Bangalore - 560 068. **Co-Borrower: Mr. C. Ponnusamy,** S/o. Chinna Perumal, No.13/12, Jaker Mottur, Kothapetta, Venkatapuram, Krishnagiri - 635 001. Also at: No. 11, Ward No. 191, Baburaj Layout, Singasandra, Hosur Main Road, Bangalore - 560 068. **Guarantor : Mr. P. Perumal,** S/o. C. Ponnnusamy, No.13/12, Jaker Mottur, Kothapetta, Venkatapuram, Krishnagiri - 635 001. Also at: Sri Hari Cars, No.10, Hosur Main Road, Bangalore - 560 068.

Demand Notice Dated: 15.11.2023, Loan A/C No.1341860003082, Sanction Date: 09.12.2019, Type of Loans: Construction of House, Sanction Amount: Rs.40,00,000/- (out of which amount Disbursed Rs.33,22,656/-), NPA Dated: 29.05.2022, Loan Outstanding Amount of Rs.41,34,124/- with further interest from **15.11.2023** onwards and other costs thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.2, in property No.15/2, as per BBMP record B Khatha SL. No.613, property No.15/2/2, measuring east to west 47+43/2 Ft. north to south 29+50/2 Ft. all measuring 1777.5 Sq. Ft., of Singasandra Grama, Begur Hobli, Bangalore south Taluk, presently comes under the limit of BBMP Bangalore is bounded within the following **Boundaries:** East by : Previously site No.1, presently Road, West by : Site No.2A, North by : Road, South by : Private property.

Sl.No.2: Borrower: Mrs. K S Shubha (Deceased), W/o. Late K.A.Suresh, **Co-Borrower : Mr. K A Suresh (Deceased),** S/o.Mr. V A Kundanam, **Minor. K S Chaithanya (Legal Heirs of Late K.A.Suresh),** D/o. Late K.A.Suresh, No.82, Dharmaraja Koil Streeet, Shivaji Nagar, Bangalore North, Karnataka, Near GRR Choultry, Bangalore - 560 001. **Guarantor: Mr. V Gururaj,** S/o.Mr. Venkatesh V, No.255/1, 9th Main, Palace Guttahalli, Malleshwaram, Bangalore - 560003. Also at: Guru Motors and Enterprises, No.255/1, 9th Main, Palace Guttahalli, Malleshwaram, Bangalore - 560003.

Demand Notice Dated: 23.11.2023, Loan A/C No.1341816003052, Sanction Date: 05.11.2019, Type of Loans: Commercial Real Estate, Sanction Amount: Rs.35,19,824/-, NPA Dated: 29.07.2022, Loan Outstanding Amount of Rs.43,58,646/- with further interest from **16.11.2023** onwards and other costs thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Schedule property bearing No.82, old No.89, New Municipal Khatha No.82, situated at Dharmaraja Koil Street, Civil Station, Shivajinagar, Bangalore, now coming under the limits of BBMP Ward No.79, PID No.79-8-82, measuring east to west: 6.09 meters, north to south: 6.72 meters, totally measuring 380 Sq.ft out of which 200 Sq.ft commercial and 180 Sq.ft residential together with ground, first, second, third and fourth floor, RCC roofed residential building, mosaic flooring, jungle wood for doors and windows, constructed with bricks with cement wall with all civic amenities with total built up area of 1140 Sq.ft. in the ground floor 200 Sq.ft. for commercial and 180 Sq.ft. for residential is situated within the following **Boundaries:** NORTH : Gadi Guruswamy's House, SOUTH : Meda Kumbhiah's House & DK Street, EAST : Seenaiah Chetty's House, WEST : House of Dasappa and Kumbiah Chetty. Total extent on 380 Sq.Ft. area of land with building has got all usual pathway rights, easement rights relating thereto.

As a security for the repayment of the said loan to **Repco Home Finance Limited,** you have executed a Loan Agreement and also created, an equitable mortgage by deposit of title deeds of the property detailed herein above: Since you have defaulted in repayment of the loan, you are liable to pay the additional interest also. **The Company issued notice under the Act on above mentioned dates calling upon the above Borrowers / Co-Borrowers / Guarantors to repay the above outstanding amount** with further interest and costs thereon. **The Notice sent to all of you by Regd. Post. with Ack. Due.** We hereby call upon you, to pay the aforesaid amount due within **60 (Sixty) Days from the date of this notice,** falling which the Company shall take over the possession of secured assets mortgaged to us under the power conferred to us under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, wherein the **Repco Home Finance Limited,** is empowered to take possession of the secured assets including the right to transfer by way of lease, assignment of sale, take over the management of the secured assets, appoint any person to manage the secured assets from you and adjust the above sale proceeds towards the debt due from you. We draw your attentions to Sec. 13 (8) of the Securitisation Act as per which, no further steps shall be taken for transfer or sale of the secured asset, if the dues of the secured creditor together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by secured creditor are tendered by you at any time before the date fixed for sale or transfer of the secured asset.

Date: 15.11.2023 & 23.11.2023 **Authorised Officer, Repco Home Finance Ltd.,**

Canara Bank

A Government of India Undertaking

ARM Branch - II, 2nd Floor, Circle Office, Spencer Towers, No. 86, MG Road, Bangalore - 560001
Ph No. 25310099, 080-25310181, E-mail - cb6298@canarabank.com

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

(Under Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the ARM Branch II, Bangalore of Canara Bank, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of ARM Branch II, Bangalore will be sold "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis for recovery of outstanding dues from below mentioned Borrowers. The Reserve Price and the Earnest Money Deposit is mentioned below.

Sl. No	Name of Borrowers and Guarantors	Total Liabilities	Details and full description of the property	Auction Date & Time	Reserve Price & Earnest Money Deposit [EMD] Date & Time	1) Incremental Value at Bid 2) A/c No. & IFSC
1	**1. M/s.KCHERIS Marketing Pvt Ltd** No.2/2, Venkateshpura, Jakkur Post Bengaluru – 560064 **2. Mrs. Uma Vijay Kumar** W/o Balaji Flat No.E-103, Ground Floor, E-Block, F Tower, Garden Residency, Sy No.108/1, Kachanayakanahalli Village, Bommasandra, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru – 560 099 **3.Mrs.Chamundeshwari V** W/o Vijayakumar 155/67, S K Road, Krishnapuram Ambur, Vellore, Tamil Nadu - 653802	Rs. 3,63,62,763.77/- (Rupees Three Crores sixty three Lakhs sixty two thousand seven hundred sixty three and paise seventy seven only) as on 01.01.2024, together with future interest, expenses and costs etc	**Item No.1 :** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Survey No.Sy No.108/3, Flat No.BF 304, Second Floor, Garden Residency, Kachanayakanahalli village, Jigani Hobli, Bangalore – 560100 measuring about East to West 77.67 feet and North to South 12.80 feet and **bounded on the East by** Land in SY No.108/2, **West by** Road carved out of kharab land, **North by** Road carved out of kharab land and **South by** Tank bund. **Item No.2 :** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Survey No.Sy No.108/3, Flat No.E 102, Ground Floor, Garden Residency, Kachanayakanahalli village, Jigani Hobli, Bangalore – 560100 measuring about East to West 77.67 feet and North to South 12.80 feet and **bounded on the East by** Land in SY No.108/2, **West by** Road carved out of kharab land, **North by** Road carved out of kharab land and **South by** Tank bund. **Item No.3 :** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Survey No.Sy No.108/3, Flat No.E 103, Ground Floor, Garden Residency, Kachanayakanahalli village, Jigani Hobli, Bangalore – 560100 measuring about East to West 77.67 feet and North to South 12.80 feet and **bounded on the East by** Land in SY No.108/2, **West by** Road carved out of kharab land, **North by** Road carved out of kharab land and **South by** Tank bund.	30.01.2024 Time 11.30 AM to 12.00 Noon	**Property 1** **Reserve Price:** Rs.36 Lacs **EMD:** Rs.3,60,000 **Property 2** **Reserve Price:** Rs.36 Lacs **EMD:** Rs.3,60,000 **Property 3** **Reserve Price:** Rs.36 Lacs **EMD:** Rs.3,60,000 **25.01.2024** up to **4.00 pm.** **Sale Notice Date 01.01.2024**	1) Multiples of Rs.50,000/- 2) A/c No. 7952296000001 IFSC : CNRB0006298 **Encumbrance(s):** Not Known to the Bank
2	**1. M/s Balaji Agro Industries** No.439, 6th Main, 17th Cross, 2nd Block, Rajajinagar Bengaluru - 560055 **2. Mrs. Rani V** Property No.7-2-501-21/2 Khata No.848/1392/1179, 8170 SFT Residential Building, Dargapura Kasbhag Road, Doddaballapura City, Bengalur Rural Dist -561203 **3. Mr. Pradeep V and Mrs. Rani N** Mrs. Nirmala R and Mrs. Gayathri G Property No.7-2-501-21/1, Khata No.848/1392/1179/4, 2812 SFT Residential Building Dargapura Kasbhag Road, Doddaballapura City, Bengalur Rural Dist -561203 **4. Mr.Achut K B** 401, 4th Floor, "Megha Maanay", Uttarahalli Main Road, Mailasandra, R R Nagara, Bengaluru - 560060	Rs. 2,78,41,344.45 (Rupees Two crores seventy eight lacs forty one thousand three hundred forty four & paise forty five only) of M/s Balaji Agro Industries including costs and interest as on 03.01.2024 together with future interest, expenses and costs etc	**Property : 1** All that piece and parcel of immoveable property bearing Property No.7-2-501-21/1, Khata No.848/1392/1179, 8170 SFT, Residential Building situated at Dargapura Kasbhag Road,Doddaballapura City, Bengaluru Rural District – 561203 and measuring East to West on both sides 95 feet North to South on the both sides 86 feet totalling 8170 sq ft along with Industrial building constructed thereon standing in the name of M/s Balaji Agro Industries represented by Mrs.Rani V and **bounded on the East by:** Property Land belonging to R L Prasad, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Road and **South by** same Sy No. **Property : 2** All that piece and parcel of immoveable property bearing Property No.7-2-501-21/1, Khata No.848/1392/1179/4, 2812 SFT, Residential Building situated at Dargapura Kasbhag Road,Doddaballapura City, Bengaluru Rural District - 561203 and measuring East to West on both sides 38 feet North to South on the both sides 74 feet totaling 2812 sq ft along with Industrial building constructed thereon standing in the name of M/s Balaji Agro Industries represented by Mr.Pradeep V and Mrs.Rani V, Nirmala R and Gayathri G and **bounded on the East by:** Property Land belonging to R L Prasad,**West by:** property belonging to Siddaramaiah, **North by:** same Sy No. and **South by** Road.	30.01.2024 Time 11.30 AM to 12.00 Noon	**Property 1** **Reserve Price:** Rs.90.00 Lacs **EMD:** Rs.9.00 Lacs **Property 2** **Reserve Price:** Rs.33.00 Lacs **EMD:** Rs.3.30 Lacs **Total of Reserve Price:** Rs.123.00 Lacs **EMD:** Rs 12,30,000 Lacs **25.01.2024** up to **3.00 pm.** **Sale Notice Date 03.01.2024**	1) Multiples of Rs.50,000/- 2) A/c No. 209272434 IFSC : CNRB0006298 **Encumbrance(s):** Not Known to the Bank
3	**1. Mr.Chakali Narayanappa** Prop : M/s GRS Enterprises No.201, Mahalaxmi Residency, 04/04, 6th Cross, Ashok Nagar, Banashankari 1st Stage, Bengaluru-560050 **2. Mrs.Sujatha Y A** W/o Sri. C Narayanappa No.201, Mahalaxmi Residency, 04/04, 6th Cross, Ashok Nagar, Banashankari 1st Stage, Bengaluru – 560050 **3. Smt. Lokamatha** w/o Sri. Lakshminarayana **Residing at :** No.779, 14th Cross, 7th Block, Jayanagar West, Bengaluru - 560082	Rs.3,91,50,348.35/- (Rupees Three crores ninety one lakhs fifty thousand three hundred forty eight and Paise thirty five only) including costs and interest as on 02/01/2024 together with future interest, expenses and costs etc	**Schedule A Property :** All that piece and parcel of Immoveable property Residential Flat bearing No.G-1, Ground Floor, "Mahalakshmi Residency" Apartments, Site No.4/4 (Old No.30), 7th Cross, Ashok Nagar, BSK 1st Stage, Bengaluru 560050 totally measuring 1350 sqft and **bounded on the East by** Entrance and Corridor, **West by** open to sky, **South by** Open to Sky and **North by** Flat No.G-2. **Schedule B Property :** An undivided share equivalent to 370 Square Feet in the schedule 'A' property **Schedule C Property (Flat put up for sale) :** A 3 Bedroom Apartment bearing no G-1, Ground Floor, Property No.4/4, Old No.30, PID No.51-45-4/4, 7th Cross, "Mahalakshmi Residency Apartments, Ashok Nagar, BSK 1st Stage, Bengaluru - 560050 in the Ground Floor of "G 1"Block in the multi storied building known as "MAHALAKSHMI RESIDENCY" with a super built up area of 1350 square feet(which is inclusive of balconies and a proportionate share in the common areas) with car parking space in stilt floor or basement ,constructed on Schedule "A" Property .	30.01.2024 Time 11.30 AM to 12.00 Noon	**Reserve Price:** Rs.93.00 Lacs **EMD:** Rs. 9,30,000 Lacs **25.01.2024** up to **3.00 pm.** **Sale Notice Date 03.01.2024**	1) Multiples of Rs.50,000/- 2) A/c No. 209272434 IFSC : CNRB0006298 **Encumbrance(s):** Not Known to the Bank

Other terms and conditions

a) Auction/bidding shall be only through "Online Electronic Bidding" through the website https://www.indianbankseauction.com. Bidders are advised to go through the website for detailed terms before taking part in the e-auction sale proceedings.
b) The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorized Officer.
c) The property will be sold for the price which is more than the Reserve Price and the participating bidders may improve their offer further during auction process.
d) EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited by way of DD favouring Authorised officer, Canara Bank, ARM Branch II, Bangalore OR through online (RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer) to credit the account number 209272434 Canara Bank, ARM Branch II, Bangalore RTGS/NEFT CODE CNRB0006298 on or before EMD Date & Time
e) Intending bidders shall hold a valid digital signature certificate and e-mail address. For details with regard to digital signature please contact the service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore - e- mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in Contact Persons & Numbers:- Mr. Pakhare DD/Mr.Ramesh T H – 9480691777 & 8553643144.
f) After payment of the EMD amount, the intending bidders should submit a copy of the following documents/details on or before EMD Date & Time, to Canara Bank, ARM Branch II Bangalore by hand or by email.
  i) Demand Draft/Pay order towards EMD amount. If paid through RTGS/NEFT, acknowledgement receipt thereof with UTR No.
  ii) Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank at the time of making payment of balance amount of 25% of bid amount.
  iii) Bid form to be submitted by the bidder.
g) The intending bidders should register their names at service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore and get their User ID and password free of cost. Prospective bidder may avail online training on E- auction from the service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore - e- mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in Contact Persons & Numbers:- Mr.Pakhare DD/Mr.Ramesh T H – 9480691777 & 8553643144.
h) EMD deposited by the unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them. The EMD shall not carry any interest.
I) Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. Bidders shall improve their offers in multiples of Rs.50,000/-The bidder who submits the highest bid (above the Reserve price) on closure of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder. Sale shall be confirmed in favour of the successful bidder, subject to confirmation of the same by the secured creditor.
j) The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the sale price (inclusive of EMD already paid), immediately on declaring him/her as the successful bidder and the balance within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. If the successful bidder fails to pay the sale price, the deposit made by him shall be forfeited by the Authorized Officer without any notice and property shall forthwith be put up for sale again.
k) For sale proceeds of Rs.50 (Rupees Fifty) lacs and above, the successful bidder will have to deduct TDS at the applicable rate on the Sale proceeds and submit the original receipt of TDS certificate to the Bank.
l) All charges for conveyance, stamp duty/GST registration charges, tax/revenue arrears, incidental expenses, fees etc., as applicable shall be borne by the successful bidder only.
m) Authorized Officer reserves the right to postpone/cancel or vary the terms and conditions of the e-auction without assigning any reason thereof.
n) In case there are bidders who do not have access to the internet but interested in participating the e-auction, they can approach concerned Circle office or Canara Bank ARM branch II who, as a facilitating centre, shall make necessary arrangements.
o) For further details contact Ranjan Kumar, Chief Manager, Canara Bank , ARM Branch-2- (080-25310181) e-mail id –cb6298@canarabank.com OR the service provider M/s.Canbank Computer Services Ltd, Bangalore - e- mail: eauction@ccsl.co.in Contact Persons & Numbers:- Mr. Pakhare DD/Mr.Ramesh T H – 9480691777 & 8553643144.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTION / CAUTION

Bidding in the last minutes/seconds should be avoided by the bidders in their own interest. Neither Canara Bank nor the Service Provider will be responsible for any lapses/failure (Internet failure, Power failure, etc.) on the part of the bidder or vendor in such cases. In order to ward off such contingent situation, bidders are requested to make all the necessary arrangements/alternatives such as back–up, power supply and whatever else required so that they are able to circumvent such situation and are able to participate in the auction successfully.

Sd/-, Authorized Officer
Canara Bank

Place: Bangalore

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CITY CIVIL JUDGE AT BANGALORE (CH-59)
Misc. No. 1086/2023
BETWEEN: GOPALAKRISHNA SRINIVASAN
S/o Late Mr TATTAMANGALAM ANANTHA KRISHNAN GOPALAKRISHNAN R/t NO 331, JP Nagar, III Phase Bangalore-560078 PETITIONER
NIL RESPONDENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

WHEREAS, the Petitioner has filed the above petition on 11.09.2023 seeking to appoint the Petitioner as guardian of Mr. Shankar G. aged about 56 years, son of Late T.A.Gopalakrishnan and Late G Rajeswari, and residing at No. 1870, 32nd cross, 10th Main Road, Banashankari 2nd Stage, Bangalore 560070. The petition is to manage the properties and the right to administer and transfer the property as may be necessary in the best interests of Mr. Shankar G. under section 14 of The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016 before the Principal City Civil Judge, Bangalore.

To whomsoever concerned,

All persons having claims in respect of, against or to the above petition, is hereby summoned to appear in this Court in person on the 19.01.2024 at 11.00 A.M in the fore-noon. Take notice that in default of your appearance on the day and time above mentioned, failing which such claim/s or objections, if any, shall be considered as waived and/or discharged forever and the case will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court on this the 03.01.2024

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Assistant Registrar City Civil Court Bengaluru

SHILPA J., Advocate, AYANA LEGAL, 505-506, 5TH FLOOR, BRIGADE TOWERS, BRIGADE ROAD, BANGALORE - 560 025

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to notify the general public that **CURAS HOMINUM LIFE SCIENCES**, a Partnership firm, registered on 03.09.2019 having its office at No. 118, 3rd Floor, 1st Main 8th Cross, Pai Layout, Near Tin Factory, Benniganahalli, K.R. Puram, Bengaluru, represented by its Partners **Mr. PENEJURI BALASUBRAMANYAM & Mr. SHAIK GOUSEPEER** have decided to sell the business in its entirety including all assets, stocks, receivables and any other associated elements except payables as of December 31, 2023 and my client is intending to purchase the same alongwith the name and Trademark so as to run the business as a Company.

Any persons/institutions/firm/individual/investors/stakeholders claiming to have any share, right, title, interest, charge, lien or minor claim whatsoever over the business intended to be sold by **CURAS HOMINUM LIFE SCIENCES** may lodge his/her/their/its claim to the undersigned with documentary proof within **Fifteen (15) days** of this publication, failing which it will be presumed that there are no objections or claim or disputes in respect of the same from any person or quarter and my client shall proceed to purchase the same in consonance with the arrangements envisaged. No claims shall be entertained thereafter.

SCHEDULE

All the running business alongwith name and Trademark in its entirety including all assets, stocks, receivables and any other associated elements except payable as of December 31, 2023 being carried by CURAS HOMINUM LIFE SCIENCES.

Sd/- **LOKESH .R**, Advocate, # 17 & 32, Ground Floor, Amar Towers, 1st Cross, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru–560 009 Mob: 9980664956

FORM NO.3 : [See Regulation-15 (1) (a))

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL BENGALURU(DRT-II)
B.S.N.L. Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560 001

O.A NO: 119/2022

Between;
BANK OF BARODA., BANGALORE MALKI SUNDARRAM NAGAR BRANCH .....APPLICANT

AND:
M/S STRIDIST SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LTD.,1 & ANOTHER .....DEFENDANTS

To,
1. M/S STRIDIST SOLUTIONS PRIVATE LTD., Represented by its Directors
(i) Sri. U. Uthpal.,
(ii) Sri. BS Raghu.,
#999A, 2nd Floor, Sundaram Shetty Nagar, Vijaya Bank Layout, Bengaluru - 76
PAN: ABACS9751L
CIN: U74999KA2018PTC117315
2. Sri. U. Uthpal., S/o UB Udaya.,
Residing at; Vibrant Advaitha, Flat No. 506, 4th Floor No. 93/D, Digital Park Road, Yeshwanthpur, Bengaluru-22
PAN: ADLPU03491
Also at: Junior College Road, Thirthahalli, Shimoga - 577 432. **Residing at :** #15, 4th Cross, Ganesha Block, Nandini Layout, Sai Baba Temple, Bengaluru-560 096
3. Sri. BS Raghu., S/o H Sanjeeva Reddy., Residing at: Nagagondanahalli Main Road, Jajpr, Chitradurga., Karnataka-577522
PAN: ANKPR9426)
Also at : # 23/8, 3 Cross, 5th Main, Hoskerehalli, Bengaluru-560 085 .

Summons under Rule 23 (VIII) of the Debts Recovery Tribunal (Procedure) Rules, 1993 by way of paper publication

WHEREAS the applicant has instituted an application U/S 19(4) OF THE Recovery of Debts and Bankruptcy Act, 1993 against you for the recovery of sum **Rs.20,06,984.06 (Rupees Twenty Lakh Six Thousand Nine Hundred & Eighty Four and Paisa Six Only)** Therein together with current and therefore, hereby interest and other relief. The above Defendant is therefore, hereby directed to before the Tribunal in person or through an advocate or through authorized agents in support of their defence for show cause within 30 days from the date of Publication or on **19/02/2024 at 10.30 A.M.,** as to why relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in case default application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this tribunal on this **15 day of October 2023**

Sd/- Registrar (I/C)
Debts Recovery Tribunal- 2
Bangalore

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THE MYSORE ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIES LIMITED

ISO 9001 COMPANY

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Ph: 23376851(6 lines) 23376641 (4 lines) Fax: 23371811
e-Mail:**mei.matls9@gmail.com** Visit us at **www.mei.karnataka.gov.in**
Ref.No.: MEIL/2023-24/IND00030-IND0038 DATE: 04.01.2024

NOTIFICATION

Supply of ELECTRICAL and RAW MATERIALS for the production of MEI make Switchgears and Rechargeable LED bulbs.

Calendar of Events: (1) Publishing of documents by e-Procurement cell: **06.01.2024. (2)** Last date for submission of Queries: **13.01.2024. (3)** Last date for submission of Technical & Financial Bids (Cover-I & II): **20.01.2024. (4)** Opening of Technical Bids: **22.01.2024. (5)** Opening of Financial Bids: **23.01.2024.**

Sd/- Deputy Manager (Procurement)

कार्यालय अतिरिक्त मुख्य अभियंता सा०नि०वि० विद्युत, जोधपुर

क्रमांक – 1027 दिनांक :– 19.12.2023

निविदा सूचना संख्या : 01/2023–24 NIB Code PWD2324A4056

राजस्थान के राज्यपाल महोदय की ओर से लिफ्ट (Elevators) कार्यों हेतु उपयुक्त श्रेणी में सार्वजनिक निर्माण विभाग राजस्थान में पंजीकृत संवेदकों के अतिरिक्त मूल निर्माता कम्पनी या उनके अधिकृत डीलर्स एवं सामान कार्य में अनुभवी फर्म (With OEM Authorization) द्वारा एवं राज्य सरकार/केन्द्र सरकार के अधिकृत संगठनों/के.ली.नि. वि/डाक एवं दूर संचार/रेल्वे इत्यादि में पंजीकृत सर्वेदको, जो कि राजस्थान सरकार के सर्वेदको के समकक्ष (पी.डब्यू.एफ एण्ड ए.आर. के नियमों) हो उन से निर्धारित प्रपत्र में ई–टेंडरिंग प्रक्रिया में ऑन लाइन निविदा आमंत्रित की जाती है। निविदा से संबंधित विवरण वेब साईट www.dipr.rajasthan.gov.in व "http://www.sppp.rajasthan.gov.in व http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in पर देखा जा सकता है।

निविदा की कुल लागत	:	रू. 539.21 लाख (कुल 1 कार्य)
कुल धरोहर राशि (रूपयों में)	:	अनुमानित लागत का 2% अथवा नियमानुसार
निविदा आवेदन/डाउनलोड करने की तारीख व समय	:	21.12.2023 से 23.01.2024 तक सांय 6:00 बजे
ऑनलाईन निविदा जमा कराने की तारीख व समय	:	21.12.2023. से 23.01.2024 तक सांय 6:00 बजे
तकनीकी निविदा खोलने की तारीख व समय	:	24.01.2024 को अपरान्ह 11:00 बजे से (**तकनीकी निविदाएँ खोली जायेगी**)
वित्तीय बिड़ खोलने की तारीख व समय	:	तकनीकी बिड़ के मूल्यांकन के पश्चात् सफल निविदा दाताओं की वित्तीय बिड़ खोलने की दिनांक ऑनलाईन सूचित कर दी जावेगी।
प्री–बिड़ मीटिंग की तारीख व समय	:	03.01.2023 को दोपहर 1:00 बजे से **अतिरिक्त मुख्य अभियंता, सा.नि.वि. विद्युत, जोधपुर कार्यालय में।**
कार्य का विवरण	1	UBN No. **PWD2324WLOB17643**

भवदीय

DIPR/C/16344/2023

अतिरिक्त मुख्य अभियन्ता
सा.नि.वि. विद्युत , जोधपुर

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY e-Tender Notice

Tender No : 167/2023-24/KWA/PHC/D1/TVM(RT1)

JJM CWSS to Pallickkal Madavoor, Navaikulam Pts-Phase II-Design, Supplying, installation & commissioning of RW,CW pumps ,transformer and allied works. EMD : Rs. 1,00,000/-, Tender fee : Rs. 9759/-, Last Date for submitting Tender : 10-01-2024 03:00:pm, Phone : 04712322303

Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

KWA-JB-GL-6-1972 -2023-24 Superintending Engineer, PH Circle,Thiruvananthapuram

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, (District Urben Development Cell, Chitradurg)
E-Mail: ka.chitradurga.dudc@gmail.com
No. DUDC(2)SWM/CR 358/2022-23 Dated: 02.01.2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION

The Deputy Commissioner. Chitradurga District, Chitradurga invites tenders in Three Tender Document System using KW - 4 & KW - 6 from class-1 & Above Civil contractors for undertaking Biomining, Bioremediation processing disposal of legacy waste and reclamation of land in Chitradurga District Package works as detailed below:-

Brief Description:- Package No. 01 Selection of agency undertaking Biomining, Bioremediation processing disposal of legacy waste and reclamation of land in Chitradurga CMC, Challakre CMC and Hiriyur CMC of Chitradurga District as per Central Pollution Board Guidelines and National Green Tribunal Direction. Amount Put to Tender (Excluding GST):- 1075.45 EMD (Rs. in lakhs):- 15.00

Period :- 9.14 Months (excluding monsoon period)

Interested contractors shall register on the e-procurement platform to participate in this tender. Contractors can download the tender documents from the e-Procurement platform http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in Tenders shall be submitted electronically at http://kppp.karnataka.gov.in EMD and Tender Processing Fee shall also be paid electronically.

Calendar of Events and other information are as follows:

(1) Pre-Bid Meeting 08-01-2024 11.40 AM (2) Last date and Time for Tender Queries / Clarifications 22-01-2024 4.00 PM (3) Last Date and Time for Receipt of Tenders 02-02-2024 5.00 PM (4) Date and Time for Opening of Prequalification Bid 03-02-2024 5.30 AM (5) Date and Time for Opening of Technical Bid 05-02-2024 5.15 PM (6) Date and Time for Opening of Financial Bid After Approval of Technical Bid.

Any changes in the tender conditions and Postponement of calendar of events (if any) is only through e-Procurement portal and will not be published in any newspapers.

DIPR/CTA/KSMCA/451/2023-24 Sd/-Project Director, District Urban Development Cell, Chitradurga

NYAYAMITRA SAHAKARI BANK NIYAMITA

Admn. Office: High Court Building (New Annexe), Dr. Ambedkar Veedhi, Bangalore-560001.

THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002. APPENDIX-IV POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorised officer of the Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Ordinance, 2002 (Ord.3 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 05.10.2023 calling upon the borrower **Vinay P., S/o. Prakash S.** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice and present balance being **Rs. 54,45,000/-** further interest, expenses accrued there on with in 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The Borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Ordinance read with rule 8 of the said rules on this **5th day of January of the year 2024.**

The Borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita for an amount **Rs. 54,45,000/-** and interest thereon.

Borrower Details:

Borrower Name : **Vinay P.**
Surety Name : **Babu R.**
Loan Amount : **Rs. 54,45,000/-** and further Interest and Expenses accrued.

Schedule A

All that piece and parcel of the Property No.16, PID No. 47-38-16, Dharmarayaswamy Ward, BBMP Ward No. 119, old No. 47, situated at Kumbaragundi Road, Thigalarapet, Bangalore-560002, Measuring East to West 23 feet and North to South 12 feet in all 276 Sq feet, consisting of 15year old RCC building, consisting of Ground floor red oxide flooring with ordinary jungle woodwork, with common rights to use the stair case situated towards southern side and bounded on: East by: Kumbaragundi main road, West by: Portion of Property bearing No. 19 and property belongs to Etappa, North by: Property No. 17 (shop 17), South by: Property No. 15.

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Nyayamitra Sahakari Bank Niyamita

Date : 04.01.2024
Place : Bangalore

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Bangalore.

GOLD JEWELS PUBLIC AUCTION NOTICE

The following persons who have availed loans against pledge of gold ornaments have not repaid the amount in spite of our repeated demand notices. Therfore, please take notice that if the principal/interest and other charges are not paid on or before one day prior to the date of auction published here below. The pledged ornaments will be publicly auctioned on **12.01.2024 from 11.30 a.m.** in the below branch premises mentioned below subject to rules and regulations of the bank. The Bank reserves the right to cancel/postpone the auction to any other the auction to any other convenient date, without further notice and assigning the reasons there for.

1) State Bank of India, Bommanahalli Branch : # 15/6, Manish Complex 80 FT Road, Mangamanapalya Main Road, Bommanahalli. Tel : 080-25943560
Name of the Borrower : Hafeez Ahmed, # 40, Muneshwara Nagar,1st to 8th Cross, Bandepalya, Near Hemadri Ceramic Godown, Bangalore South , Bangalore, Karnataka-560068.
Loan A/c No: 41488540682, **Outstanding Balance : Rs. 3,10,182/-** + Interest & Other Charges.
Gross Weight: 120.20 Gms. **Net Weight :** 113 Gms.

2) State Bank of India, Mico Layout Branch (code-09041) : No. 15 & 16 Amara, 100 feet Ring Road, Near IOC petrol Bunk/Reliance fresh, BTM II Stage, Bengaluru-560 076. Tel : 080-2668 4032 e-mail : sbi.09041@sbi.co.in
Name of the Borrower : Shiyas S , Shan Manzil, Thazathuvila, Ayathil PO, Pattathanamthitta, Kollam- 691021.
Loan A/c No: 41078610579, **Outstanding Balance : Rs. 37,287/-** + Interest & Other Charges.
Gross Weight: 12.8 Gms. **Net Weight :** 11 Gms.

Place : Bangalore Date : 04.01.2024 **Sd/- BRANCH MANAGER**

BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer, Jayanagara Division, BBMP, 39th Cross, 18th Main, Jayanagara 4th 'T' Block, Bangalore-560 041.

No. EE(JN)/DM/e-proc/10/2023-24 Date: 04.01.2024

INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER
(Through GoK KPP Portal only)

The Executive Engineer, Jayanagar Division invites the tenders from the eligible tenderers for the construction of works detailed in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Approx. Value of work (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD (in Rs.)
1	Depot Collection in Ward No, 195, Tilak Nagar (Call-2) *(Reserved for Others category).*	5.00	12,500/-
2	Depot Collection in Ward No, 198, J.P. Nagar (Call-2) *(Reserved for Others category).*	5.00	12,500/-
3	Providing Street Name Boards and Awareness Boards in Ward No. 199 (Old Ward No. 178)(Call-2) *(Reserved for Others category).*	10.00	25,000/-

1) Tender documents may be downloaded from GoK KPP portal. **2)** Last date for uploading the of tender documents: **19.01.2024 upto 4.00 p.m. 3)** Opening of bids: **20.01.2024 at 4.05 p.m.** Further details can be accessed from GoK e-procurement website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** or contact e-procurement Helpdesk: 080-22441076 or contact the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Executive Engineer, Jayanagar Division.

FEDBANK FINANCIAL SERVICES LTD.

Having corporate office at Kanakia Wall Street, A-Wing, 5th Floor, Unit No.501, 502, 511, 512 Andheri - Kurla Road, Chakala, Andheri East, Mumbai, Maharshtra - 400093

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Fedbank Financial Services Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 18th October, 2023 and subsequently carried out the paper publication on 26th October 2023 calling upon the **Borrower, Mortgagor, Co-Borrower(s):- 1.Mr. Shashi Kumar C.S.,**Rep by its Authorised Signatory (Borrower), **2. Mrs. Yamuna Priya L., (Co – Borrower)** to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice being **Rs. 14,05,974.00 /- (Rupees Fourteen Lakh Five Thousand Nine hundred seventy four Only) & Rs. 12,04,488.00 /- (Rupees Twelve Lakh Four thousand four hundred and eighty eight Only)** ("Said Loan") and executed Loan Agreement FEDRAM0HL0499865 dated: 30.04.2022 and FEDRAMSTL 0499869 together with further interest thereon at the contractual rate plus all costs charges and incidental expenses etc. within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said demand notice.

The Borrower, Mortgagor and Co-Borrower(s)mentioned hereinabove having failed to repay the above said amount within the specific period, notice is hereby given to the Borrower, Mortgagor & Co-Borrower(s) and the public in general that the undersigned Authorised officer has taken symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the SARFAESI Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **03rd January of the year 2024.**

The Borrower, Mortgagor , Co-Borrower(s) and Guarantor mentioned hereinabove in particular and the public in general is/are hereby cautioned not to deal with the following property and any dealings with the following property will be subject to the charge of **Fedbank Financial Services Ltd.** for an amount of **Rs14,05,974.00/- (Rupees Fourteen Lakh Five Thousand Nine hundred seventy four Only) & Rs. 12,04,488.00/- (Rupees Twelve Lakh Four thousand four hundred and eighty eight Only) as on 17th October, 2023** together with further interest thereon at the contractual rate plus all the costs charges and incidental expenses etc.

The borrower's attention is invited to sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Schedule-A: Description of Property: (Particulars of the immovable property mortgaged to FFSL): All that piece and parcel of residential House property bearing Unique/PID No.152900103000400413, Property No.59/59A as per the Gramapanchayath records situated at Chikkanadoddi Village, Petlu Dhakhale Village, Kasaba Hobli, Channapatna Taluk, Ramanagar District, constructed on the site measuring East to West : 5.7912 Meters and North to South : 14.0208 Meters, coming under the limits of the Thittamaranahalli Grama Panchayath, Channapatna Taluk. bounded on: East By : Vacant Site of Smt Sunanda, West By : House of Sri Raju,North By : Road, South By : Vacant Site & Backyard House of Sri Kempegowda.

Sd/-
Date:- 03/01/2024
Place:- Bangalore
AUTHORISED OFFICER
Fedbank Financial Services Ltd

(See Regulation 33 (2))

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-2, BENGALURU
BSNL Building , 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bangalore-560001

TRC NO: 647/2018

CANARA BANK, Hosakote Branch, K. R. Road **....Applicant Bank/Certificate Holder**
-- Versus --
Sri. P. Nanjappa & others **...Certified Debtor/Defendants**

DEMAND NOTICE

1. Sri. P. Nanjappa, S/o. Late Papaiah, Mattanahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District.
2. Sri. Amaranarayana, S/o. Late Papaiah, Mattanahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District.
3. Sri. P. Adesh, S/o. Late Papaiah, Mattanahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District.
4. Smt. Venkatalakshmamma, W/o. S/o. Late Papaiah, Mattanahalli Village, Bengaluru Rural District, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk.

In View of the Recovery Certificate issued in **O.A No.639/2016** passed by the Hon'ble Presiding Officer, DRT, Bangalore **dated 02/01/2017** an amount of **Rs. 13,62,677/- (Rupees Thirteen Lakhs Sixty Two Thousand Six Hundred and Seventy Seven only)** is due against you along with interest and costs from date of filing of O.A.s till realization of the Recovery Certificate..

In additions to the sum aforesaid you will be liable to pay All charges and expenses incurred in respect of the service of this notice and other process that may be taken for recovering the amount due.

You are hereby called upon to deposit the amount within 15 days of the receipt of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made as per rules.

Given under my hand and seal of the Tribunal on **24th day of May, 2019.**

Sd/- RECOVERY OFFICER-1
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL- 2, BANGALORE.

Note: Attention is invited to Rule 16 of the Second Schedule of the Income Tax Act 1961 read with recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 which is reproduced below: **"Rule 16(1)** where a notice has been served on a defaulter under Rule 2, the defaulter or his representative or his representative in interest shall not be competent to mortgage, charge, lease or otherwise deal with any property belonging to him except with the permission of the Debts Recovery Officer, nor shall any civil court issue any process against such property in execution of a decree for the payment of money. 2) Where an attachment has been made under this schedule any private transfer or delivery of the property attached or of any interest therein and any payment to the defaulter of any debt, dividend or other monies contrary to such attachment, shall be void, as against all claims enforceable under the attachment". 3) You are also liable to disclose your assets both movable and immovable to this Tribunal along with the Income Tax Returns of last 5 year.

DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICITY, UT OF LAKSHADWEEP KAVARATTI - 682 555

Tender Notice (Re-Tender)

e-Tender invited vide F.No. 86/1/1/2023-Ele/2913 dated 28.12.2023 for the supply and installation of 1 x 1500kVA DG set at Power house Kavaratti Island. Last date for submission of bid is 3 PM, 22.01.2024. For details, please visit website **www.tendersutl.gov.in.**

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER (ELE)

KERALA STATE CENTRE FOR ADVANCED PRINTING AND TRAINING

Head Office Complex, Vattiyoorkavu, Thiruvananthapuram Ph: 2365678, 2365415

e-TENDER NOTICE (RE-TENDER)

No. Capt/39/2023-M1(MTL) 04.01.2024

C-apt invites Online bids vide Tender No: 179/23-24/MTL (e-tender id **2024_CAPT_639746_1**) from reputed manufacturers / authorized dealers for the supply and installation of **a Colour Web Offset Printing Machine.**

For detailed information log on to:website:https://etenders.kerala.gov.in & www.captkerala.com

Sd/- MD, C-apt

Equitas Small Finance Bank Ltd

(FORMERLY KNOWN AS EQUITAS FINANCE LTD)
Registered Office : No.769, Spencer Plaza, 4th Floor, Phase-II, Anna Salai, Chennai - 600002.

DEMAND NOTICE - NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002

NOTICE is hereby given that the following borrower/s have availed loan from Equitas Housing Finance Limited (EHFL) / Equitas Finance Limited (EFL) / Equitas Small Finance Bank Ltd (ESFB). The said borrower/s had/have failed to pay Installments and their loan account has been classified as Non-Performing Asset as per the guidelines issued by RBI. The details of the secured immovable propert/ties, loan and the amounts outstanding as on date payable by the borrower/s are mentioned below. The borrower(s) and the public in general are informed that the undersigned being the Authorized Officer, the secured creditor has initiated action against the following borrower(s) under the provisions of the SARFAESI Act, 2002 and not to deal with the said property. on failure to repay the outstanding dues indicated against their names within 60 (Sixty) days of this notice, the undersigned will exercise any one or more of the powers under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, including power to take possession of the property/ies and sell the same

SR NO	Name of the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s)(NAME OF THE BRANCH)	13(2) Notice Date Claim Amount	Description of Secured Asset (Immovable Property)
1	**Branch: CHANDAPURA L.No: SECNDPR0340588 Borrower: MR. MANJUNATH Co applicant : Shantha , Shantha**	**21.06.2023 & Rs.2,90,409/-**	All the peace and parcel of the immovable property bearing property no.76.junjur no.101,property no.77.Situated at Chandapura Grama, Atthibele Hobli, Anekal taluk, Bangalore. Measuring 6-1/2 x 12 Gaja Roofed of Red stone and 6x12=72 Gaja.(Measuring north to south 20 feet and east to west 42-1/2 feet. Total extent.850 Sq. feet. Bounded on, North by: Rajabheedhi, South by: House belong to Munithimmaiah, East By: Property belongs to Venkataswamy reddy , West by : Rajabheedhi . Measurement : 6x12=72 Gaja. (Measuring north to south 20 feet and east to west 42-1/2 feet. Situated at within the Sub-Registration District of Anekal and Registration District of Bangalore.

Date - 05.01.2024, Place - Bangalore **Authorized officer, Equitas Small Finance Bank Ltd**

KARNATAKA INDUSTRIAL AREAS DEVELOPMENT BOARD

(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
49, East Wing , 4th & 5th Floor, Khanija Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bengaluru – 560 001. Phone No. 080-22265383. Website: www.kiadb.in

No. IADB/ENGG/ETND-PMC-06/456/2023-24 Date:03.01.2024

SHORT TERM NOTICE INVITING TENDER FOR PROVIDING PROJECT MANAGEMENT CONSULTANCY SERVICES
(Through GOK Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Only)

KIADB is inviting tender under Quality Based Consultancy System (QCBS) as per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 1999 and Rules 2000 through electronic procurement from eligible Consulting Firms under two cover system for the mentioned work : Project Management Consultancy Services for the work of **Providing Water Supply Scheme at Devanahalli General Industrial Area of Devanahalli & Doddaballapura Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District. (4th Call).**

Last date for submission of bids is: **12.01.2024 upto 04:00 pm**

Applicants may download bidding documents from Karnataka Public Procurement Porta **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/-
Chief Engineer - 1

DIPR/CP/JA/2861/2023-24

STATE BANK OF INDIA

RACPC SHANKARPURAM (64063)
No. 13/1, 3rd Floor, Bull Temple Road, Opp. Sri. Ramakrishna Mutt, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru-560004. Ph : 080 25943006/007, Email Id: support.shankarpuram@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE TO BORROWER/S

NOTICE UNDER SECTION 13 (2) OF SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED 'ACT ')

A notice is hereby given that the following Borrowers **1) Sri Chirag Balachandra Rao Jadav, 2) Sri Balachandra Rao Jadav** have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loan facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loan accounts have been classified as Non-Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them and guarantors under Section 13(2) of Securitization and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but they have been returned unserved and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name and Address of the Borrower & Guarantors : 1) **Sri. Chirag Balachandra Rao Jadav,** S/o. Sri. Balachandra Rao Jadav, **2) Sri. Balachandra Rao Jadav** S/o. Sri. Subboji Rao, **Both are residing at :** No. 493, 6th Main, Nrupathunga Nagar, NGEF Layout, Nagarbhavi, Bangalore-560072. **And also at :** i) No. 40/301, Raghavendra Residency, 12th Cross, 17th Main, J P Nagar, Bangalore-560078. **Gaurantor : Smt. Sujatha .T .R** W/o. Sri. Aravinda Kumar SACHI, 10th Cross, Link Road, Sapthagiri Extension, Near Nalanda Convent, Tumkur-572102. **1) Account No : ETL-35238615438. File No : 15658/EL/26/APDAK/13(2)**
Demand Notice: 28.12.2023 **NPA Date : 26.12.2023**
Amount outstanding (As on the date of notice) : as on 27.12.2023, **Rs. 48,83,297.82/-** (Rupees Forty eight lakhs eighty three thousand two hundred ninety seven and eighty two paise only) and you are also liable to pay future interest from 28.12.2023 at contractual rate on the aforesaid amount together with incidental expenses, cost, charges etc.

Description of the Property : Schedule "A" Property : All that property measuring 47 Acres 30 Guntas in Sy.Nos.35/1, 35/2, 41/2, 42, 43/1, 43/2, 44/1, 44/2, 45/1, 45/2, 46/2A, 46/2B, 47, 48, 60, 61/2, 61/3, 62/1, 62/2, 63/1, 65/1 of Kallabalu Village and 2 Acres 25 Guntas in J.Bingipura Village, totally measuring 47 Acres 30 Guntas, situated in Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk duly converted for non-agricultural residential purpose by the Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore, vide Order in Annexure-I and **bounded by : East by :** Private Property in Kallabalu Village, **West by :** Private Property in Kallabalu Village, **North by :** Road, **South by :** Private Property in J. Bingipura Village.

Schedule "B" Property : All that piece and parcel of portion of site bearing No.1047 & 1048 formed in Schedule "A" Property and bearing Khatha No.1047 & 1048 in "VASAVI SHELTERS" situated at Kallabalu Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk and measuring East to West: 40 Feet and North to South: 60 Feet., totally measuring 2400 Sq.Feet and the vacant site standing in the name of Smt.Sujatha T.R and **bounded on that : East by :** Road in VASAVI SHELTERS, **West by :** Site No.1070 & 1069, **North by :** Site No.1046 in VASAVI SHELTERS, **South by :** Site No.1049 in VASAVI SHELTERS.
Sale Deed dated 24.05.2013 is registered in favour of Smt.Sujatha T.R in the office of Senior Sub- Registrar, Basavanagudi, Bangalore in Book No.1 under Document No. BSG-1-00986/2013-14 dated 24.05.2013

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above Borrower /Guarantors/mortgagors are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of this notice under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security interest Act, 2002.

The borrowers/guarantors/ mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets

Date : 04.01.2024 **Sd/- Authorised Officer, State Bank of India**
Place : Bengaluru **RACPC, Shankarapuram, Bengaluru**

Government of Karnataka
(Rural Drinking Water & Sanitation Department)
Office of the Executive Engineer,
Rural Drinking Water & Sanitation Division, Shivamogga

EE/RWSS/Dvn/SMG/TE/JJM/Kppp-Proc/2023-24/1936 Date : 02.01.2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through Kppp-procurement)

On behalf of Governor of Karnataka and as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Rules 2000, tenders are invited to undertake the following works under Jal Jeevan Mission in the limits of Rural Drinking Water & Sanitation Division, Shivamogga. **Indent Nos: (1) 714 CALL3 (2) 6643 CALL2.** Tender details, conditions and corrigendum or changes are available in website https://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in. Eligible bidders shall submit their bid and documents through above e-portal only. **Few conditions of the tender :** (1) The last date for receipt of tenders from contractors : **10.01.2024 at 5.30 P M.** (2) Date of opening of Double Cover Technical bid : **12.01.2024 at 11.30 A M.** (3) Date of opening of Double Cover Financial bid : **14.01.2024 at 11.30 A M.** (5) Specified time period for completion of works : **6 months (180 days)**

DIPR/SMG/No.23-01 zenkar/2023-24

sd/- Executive Engineer, Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation Division, Shivamogga

KMF Karnataka Co-Operative Milk Producers' Federation Limited

KMF Complex, Dr. M. H. Marigowda Road, DRC Post, Bangalore-560 029.
Tel: 080-25536789/26096834 Fax: 080-25536105

IFTNo. KMF/ENGG/TUMUL- MEGA DAIRY/2ND Call/2023-24 Date: 03.01.2024

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (2ND Call)
[TWO COVER SYSTEM] [THROUGH E-PROCUREMENT PORTAL ONLY]

Tumkur Milk Union Ltd., desires to establish New Mega dairy project with regard to establishment of project on behalf of TUMUL Karnataka Milk Federation Ltd; Bangalore invites tender through e-procurement portal for the works mentioned in the below table. The interested and reputed firms, suppliers, manufacturers may participate in the tender by logging on to website: https://www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in & also contact Help desk No.-080-23010900/23010901 E-mail; hphelpdesk.blr@intarvo.com.

Sl. No.	Name of the work	Qty	EMD (Rs.)	Period of completion
1	Design, Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of Refrigeration system including cold rooms/ deep freezers suitable for 10 LLPD expandable to 15 LLPD capacity liquid milk processing plant along with 3 LLPD capacity condensing plant, 1.5 LLPD capacity curd plant on turn key basis for Tumkur Milk Union at Tumkur.	1 Job	22 Lakhs	15 Months
2	Design, Supply, Installation, Testing & Commissioning of Steam generation system, including steam header, steam piping, PRS insulation, structural support & other utilities like Air compressor, water treatment plant, suitable for 10 LLPD expandable to 15 LLPD capacity liquid milk processing plant along with 3 LLPD capacity condensing plant, 1.5 LLPD capacity curd plant on turn key basis for Tumkur Milk Union at Tumkur.	1 Job	22 Lakhs	15 Months

1. Tenders may be downloaded from dated 05.01.2024 to 20.01.2024 up to 4-00 PM.
2. Last date for Tender submission on 20.01.2024 up to 4.00 PM
3. Tender [Part 1] to be opened on 22.01.2024 at 11:30 AM.

Hence forth changes / modification in the tender, It will be uploaded on KPP portal only.

For Karnataka Co-Op. Milk Federation Ltd.,
Sd/- Director [Engineering-2]

EDITORIAL

"Justice is the first virtue of social institutions, as truth is of systems of thought" — John Rawls

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— Ramnath Goenka

NEED TO TREAD CAUTIOUSLY ON PLAN TO CLOSE N-E BORDER

THE raging turmoil in Manipur has drawn the Union government's attention towards India's Free Movement Regime with Myanmar. Some sections of the central and state governments have blamed cross-border insurgents for the ethnic violence in Manipur, which is one of the four states that share the 1,643-km India-Myanmar border. The other three states are Mizoram, Nagaland and Arunachal Pradesh. The Kuki-Chin-Zo and Naga tribes living on the India-Myanmar border have familial, social and business ties across the border. Members of these tribes have moved freely across the largely porous border for ages. India and Myanmar had formalised border transit by signing a Free Movement Regime, which allows a person from one country to travel up to 16 km in the other country and live there for two weeks without a visa. But with the rise of insurgency on both sides and sharp increase in smuggling of goods, drugs and arms, fencing has been erected at some places along the border. Besides smuggling, there has been a rise in insurgency on both sides. Rebel groups in Myanmar have taken control of towns in Myanmar close to the border; this has resulted in a huge influx of Myanmarese army personnel who have taken refuge in India.

The ethnic violence in Manipur that resulted in loss of hundreds of lives has proved to be the proverbial last straw after the mounting border troubles. The Manipur chief minister has openly accused insurgents from across the border for the trouble in his state. The Kuki minority of Manipur shares ethnic ties with the Mizos of Mizoram and the Chin people of Myanmar. There are now reports that the Union government is planning to scrap the Free Movement Regime and fence the border as much as possible.

Though it is important to check the cross-border movement of insurgents, smugglers and other undesirable elements, the government will have to tread cautiously on the issue of banning free movement of ordinary law-abiding people. A comprehensive plan needs to be prepared in consultation with the other bordering states—Mizoram, Nagaland and Arunachal Pradesh—to ensure the desired results. The newly-elected Mizoram Chief Minister, Lalduhoma, has already voiced his opposition to fencing the border and checking the free movement of people. He said the British had divided the lands of the ethnic Mizos and they cannot be separated by a fence now.

BJP CHRISTIAN CONNECT AFFECTS KERALA BALANCE

KERALA witnessed a grand Narendra Modi show the other day when the prime minister addressed over 2 lakh women in Thrissur, the state's cultural capital. The meet—organised by the state BJP unit as a "grand reception for the PM after the passage of the women's reservation bill"—was attended by women from all walks—from anganwadi workers and teachers to nurses and celebrities. The atmosphere was charged with chants of "Modi, Modi" and "Bharat *mata ki jai*", both alien to Kerala's political framework. The PM, as expected, used the opportunity to drive the point that both the LDF and the UDF are failures as far as state's interests are concerned and that BJP should be given a chance.

The function ticked all the boxes except the achievement list rolled out by the PM aimed at women. The claims of drinking water connections, toilet construction and Suvidha sanitary napkin projects will not make much impact in Kerala, which has achieved all these and more years ahead. But the greatest takeaway from his 40-minute speech was his special assurance to the Christian community. While underlining BJP's commitment to their welfare, PM Modi gave the example of his party's victories in the Northeast as proof. "Very old, very close and very warm"—this was how Modi had described his relations with the Christian community during an interaction with its leaders at his residence last week; it was no coincidence that the dignitaries were mostly from Kerala.

The BJP, which has not been able to open its state account except for a lone assembly seat in 2016, knows too well that the Christian community could be a gateway to break that jinx. The community—which accounts for 18 percent of the state's population and is powerful politically and financially beyond its numbers—has been a strong vote bank for the Congress. With the Congress's powers waning in the state, a section of the community had shifted to the Left; but that relationship is fraught with inherent contradictions. The BJP senses an opportunity here. After the recent assembly results, the Christian community's mood is quite favourable to the BJP. But to translate that into votes, the party will have to have a credible state leadership. If that and a few strong candidates are put in place, the BJP will certainly have an unprecedented opportunity in the state in the near future.

QUICK TAKE

SAFETY FIRST FOR NEPAL PLANS

INDIA signed a power trade agreement with Nepal on Thursday to import 10,000 MW of hydroelectricity over the next decade. India, which has a short-term electricity trading deal with its neighbour, is in various stages of constructing or negotiating on plants that would produce a total of 8,250 MW. This is an economic win-win for the two countries and a diplomatic win for India. The main resource for this power play, Nepal's rivers, often causes devastating floods in Bihar and Uttar Pradesh. We saw in 2023 the havoc irresponsibly constructed infrastructure in Himachal, Uttarakhand and Sikkim caused. The upcoming projects in Nepal must learn from those Himalayan blunders.

The new criminal laws go against some established jurisprudence and reaffirmed verdicts. They hand the police disturbing discretionary powers over citizens' rights

DELETERIOUS INTENT TO DISRUPT AND DECEIVE

MANISH TEWARI

Member of parliament, lawyer and former Union I&B minister

SOUMYADIP SINHA

THE arbitrary, malafide and capricious suspension of 146 members of parliament midwifed into existence, without any informed critique, three draconian criminal laws. The Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNS) replaces the Indian Penal Code, Bharatiya Nagrik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS) substitutes the Criminal Procedure Code (CRPC), and Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam (BSA) will now stand in for the Indian Evidence Act.

For over a century and a half, thousands of judges from the subordinate judiciary to the Supreme Court have applied the existing laws assisted by over 15 lakh lawyers, a bulk of whom practice on the criminal side. This has created a vast body of criminal jurisprudence. Moreover, the provisions of criminal law such as first information report or FIR, anticipatory bail, police custody, cheating and even murder are well-known to every common citizen even in the remotest part of the country. The new laws are therefore unnecessarily and deleteriously disruptionist in their very conception.

The new laws will be implemented in 17,379 police stations across the country by a police force whose mindset is rooted in coercion and intimidation, governed as they are by the colonial Police Act of 1861.

Out of the 511 provisions in the IPC, only 24 sections have been deleted and 23 added fresh. The rest have been just renumbered in the new BNS. All the 170 sections of the Evidence Act have been retained in the new BSA, just renumbered. Some 95 percent of the CrPC has been cut, copied and pasted as the new BNSS.

Law is not merely about provisions, it is about substantive interpretation. Each provision of the existing laws—IPC, CrPC and Evidence Act—is settled by judicial pronouncements of courts ranging from the presidency courts, the Privy Council, the various pre- and post-independence high courts, the old Federal Court and its successor, the Supreme Court of India.

The criminal justice machinery is set in motion with the registration of an FIR. A five-judge Constitution bench of the Supreme Court in 2013 held that FIR registration is mandatory under Section 154 of the CrPC if the information discloses commission of a cognisable offence and no preliminary inquiry is permissible in such a situation.

Section 173 (3) of the BNSS now makes the registration of an FIR discretionary if the punishment is for an offence where the punishment ranges from 3 to 7 years. One of the debilitating consequences of this new provision, given that power equations are asymmetric, would be that the poor, marginalised, disadvantaged and disempowered sections of society would not be able get even an FIR automatically registered now.

The second disturbing provision of the new law is Section 187 (3) of the BNSS. The provision is so ambiguously worded that, at first brush, it seems to expand police custody from 15 days to 60-90 days, depending upon the nature of the alleged offence. However, a closer read shows what it does is equally insidious. It allows investigative agencies to seek police custody of an accused upto a maximum period of 15 days at any time during the total period of custody of 60-90 days, depending upon the nature of the offence.

What this entails is the moment an accused applies for bail during those 60-90 days and even if he clears the triple test for bail, the investigating officer can stymie his or her liberty by asking for police custody for further investigation. The bottomline is that an accused would be mandatorily in police or judicial custody for 60-90 days at least under the new law. This provides a *carte blanche* for arbitrariness, arbitrage and rent-seeking.

The third controversial provision is Section 43 (3) of the BNSS that brings back handcuffs. In 1979, the Supreme Court in *Sunil Batra vs Delhi Administration* banned handcuffs, only allowing its use in a minuscule category of cases. This was reiterated by the apex court in the *Prem Shankar Shukla* case in 1980. The new law expands the power of the police to use handcuffs with little or no restrictions. This again goes against the rulings of the Supreme Court and shall have a pervasive impact on the right to basic human dignity of an accused or an undertrial.

The fourth ominous provision is the rebranding of Section 124-A—the prince among the political sections of the IPC, namely sedition—through Section 152 of the BNS. This new provision criminalises five kinds of activities, namely subversive activities, secession, separatist activity endangering the sovereignty, unity and integrity of India, and armed rebellion. There is, however, no finely-honed legal definition of these terms. It would provide wide latitude to the the police and political establishment to persecute anyone without restraint and accountability.

The fifth scandalous provision is that fasting as a form of of social and political protest would now be a criminal offence. Clause 226 of the BNS provides, "Whoever attempts to commit suicide with the intent to compel or restrain any public servant from discharging his official duty shall be punished with one year imprisonment, fine or both, or community service." Recall that fasting was the non-violent weapon of choice recurrently used by Mahatma Gandhi to overthrow the yoke of British imperialism.

The sixth contentious provision of the new law is the inclusion of terrorism under Section 113 of the BNS. The second iteration of the BNS brings the definition of terrorism in line with Section 15 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act or UAPA. This results in the creation of two separate laws to deal with the same offence. Moreover, since the UAPA was already created as a special law designed to deal with terrorism, there is no rationale to again reproduce it under BNS, a general law, except that it can now be weaponised as an instrument of intimidation in the pantheon of general criminal laws.

Finally, the new laws add three more capital punishments and six life sentences despite the Law Commission's recommendations to abolish capital punishment and the Supreme Court's guidelines to hand down capital punishment in only the 'rarest of rare cases'. In the previous six years, the Supreme Court has upheld the death penalty in only seven instances.

The list of infirmities in the new laws is endless. A future government or parliament would need to re-examine the very constitutionality and *raison d'ëtre* of these criminal laws.

(Views are personal)

B20 INDIA PAVES WAY FOR INCLUSIVE GLOBAL ECONOMY

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THE Business 20 (B20) group has risen to prominence as a global business platform that plays a crucial role in shaping policies. Within the G20, the B20 stands out as one of the most influential engagement groups, facilitating meaningful dialogues between the international business community, G20 decision-makers, and governments.

B20's inception goes back to 2010, when it was first constituted under the South Korean G20 presidency, from when the Confederation of Indian Industry has had the opportunity to participate and represent Indian businesses. Since then, B20 has been providing a stage for business leaders from G20 economies to discuss issues of global economic and trade governance, ideate on solutions to pressing economic challenges, and provide policy recommendations for G20 governments to consider. Over the years, as we continue to represent Indian businesses in the B20, we have been witnessing the group gain in strength and visibility.

The current geopolitical uncertainties have posed significant challenges to the nascent, post-pandemic economic recovery. India took over the G20 presidency at a time global businesses were going through turbulence caused by the pandemic, disruptions to global value chains, and extreme climate events. These called for a revitalised corporate impetus.

The G20 India theme, 'One Earth, One Family, One Future', underscored the importance of resilient business systems and practices in the face of uncertainties. B20 India, hosted by the CII as the B20 India secretariat, seized the opportunity to focus on amplifying the voices of developing countries. B20 India's core principles, guided through the overarching theme of RAISE—responsible, accelerated, innovative, sustainable and equitable businesses—guided the deliberations throughout the course of B20 India for fostering a strong, resilient, and equitable global economy.

Through the B20 India platform, we worked towards redefining the global economic environment and forming clear, precise, timely, and necessary recommendations to address shared concerns. Under the leadership of N Chandrasekaran, chair of B20 India, a diverse team of business leaders and experts collaborated through seven task forces and two action councils. With the participation of a wide range of businesses representing 35+ countries and participation from more than 25 sectors, B20 India strengthened international cooperation and evolved concrete partnerships over the year of India's presidency. Cumulatively, this inclusive approach involved approximately 1,500 members from all G20 members and invitee countries, along with numerous stakeholders globally. The year-long process received invaluable support from the international advisory caucus.

PTI

B20 India chair N Chandrasekaran announced the establishment of a global institute that would advise enterprises and ensure a continuity of priorities. The institute would aim to foster innovation and promote sustainability

B20 India's impact extended beyond formal deliberations, with over 110 policy advocacy and outreach initiatives gathering more than 20,000 delegates to disseminate key messages. The B20 task forces and action councils dedicated meticulous efforts to develop actionable recommendations across various themes, leading to groundbreaking ideas and solutions. These diligent efforts have yielded results as showcased in nine policy reports. As a result, B20 India formulated 54 recommendations and 172 policy enablers through its task forces and action councils, nearly 80 percent of which have been considered and adopted by the G20.

Notable accomplishments included the study of accelerating services trade and enhancing technology in trade, the rollout of digital public infrastructure, and the promotion of digital trust through harmonising cybersecurity standards. Recommendations also addressed the sustainability and climate change imperative, focusing on net-zero transition, common ESG reporting standards, and harmonised international carbon markets.

Looking ahead, B20 India outlined three key initiatives for the coming years including the establishment of a B20 Global Institute, which would provide knowledge, research and policy advocacy to global enterprises, ensuring a continuation of priorities. The institute, led by businesses, will focus on building resilient global value chains, leveraging digital innovations and AI for social good, fostering innovation, sustainability, energy transition, and promoting ESG principles and inclusion. It will collaborate with businesses globally to drive new opportunities.

Another outcome was accelerating financial support for decarbonisation efforts in the Global South, aligning with India's focus during its G20 presidency. This initiative aims to develop strategies and address financing for hard-to-abate sectors to advance decarbonisation.

B20 India also recommended the establishment of a Global SDG Acceleration Fund or GSAF, a global multi-donor fund facilitating private sector participation in funding progress towards the UN's sustainable development goals (SDGs) in developing economies. GSAF aims to bridge the SDG financing gap by bringing together governments, the private sector, and philanthropies, leveraging credit enhancement tools and blended finance.

Through these efforts, B20 India represented a collective aspiration for a sustainable, resilient, and inclusive global economy. Building on the work of previous B20 deliberations, it set a new agenda for a transformative future. We believe that the commitment, collaboration, and visionary thinking of stakeholders involved in B20 India have paved the way for a brighter and more equitable future for the world.

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Destigmatising ITIs

Ref: *Polishing our ITIs to create new industrial workforce* (Jan 4). We need to address the misconceptions associated with vocational education to establish ourselves as a major player in the manufacturing sector. It's time to stop stigmatising vocational education.
Jenifer J, Chennai

Address anxiety

Ref: *Address students' mental health crises for India's future* (Jan 4). Around 48,994 young lives dying by suicide is not a small number. Failure in examinations, getting reprimanded by parents are not the reasons for their conclusion. Deep-rooted anxiety is the main reason for these instances.
S Chockalingam, Kottaram

Deserting Chouhan

Ref: *Shivraj Singh Chouhan in mama ka ghar: 'Raj Tilak' became 'Vanvas'* (Jan 4). BJP's longest-serving chief minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan deserves a decent accommodation in the party's scheme of things. Clipping the wings of a leader like Chouhan and leaving him in the lurch for furthering ambitions of other leaders in party is unjustifiable.
C G Kuriakose, Chengamanad

Favourable outcome

Ref: *Adani gets SC's vote of confidence* (Jan 4). It's a massive relief for the Adani group. The apex court rejected the plea for a court-monitored probe into allegations of manipulation levelled by Hindenburg. The Centre will use this verdict as a weapon against opposition. The court verdict will enable the Centre to give a fitting reply to Rahul Gandhi's fierce allegation that the country's assets are being sold to Adani.
Jayashree Thampi, Thiruvananthapuram

Citizens' plight

Ref: *Manipur fails to ring out the old at year's turn* (Jan 4). Both communities were living together for a long time with minor incidents in the past. The trigger point for a war-like situation started only after a high court judge considered granting Scheduled Tribe status to Meiteis. To put author's view in simple terms, state is using citizens to their own advantage.
Jayachandran, email

Religious amity

Ref: *RSS affiliate Muslim Manch plans march to Ayodhya* (Jan 4). The move of the RSS affiliate to march to Ayodhya after January 22 will foster religious amity. Hope they will give their effort and contribution for the construction of a masjid at Ayodhya as early as possible.
Dharmarajan A K, Thalassery

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POSTS OF THE DAY

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The whole country is happy with the welcome of Lord Shri Ram in Ayodhya. Devotees are expressing their feelings in various ways on this auspicious day.

Akhilesh Yadav @yadavakhilesh
The drivers will change the drivers of the country. Only those who have shared bread with them can understand the pain of drivers.

Sitaram Yechury @SitaramYechury
As Modi govt perfects data fudging and raises GDP forecast claiming robust economic recovery, comes truth of factory output growing at slowest rate.

Congress renames Rahul-led yatra

Spanning 6,713 km, the East-to-West march will traverse 15 states, including Arunachal

PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

THE Congress on Thursday renamed the Rahul Gandhi-led East to West march as the 'Bharat Jodo Nyay Yatra,' set to commence from Manipur on January 14. Previously, the yatra was known as the "Bharat Nyay Yatra." The party has extended an invitation to all members of the INDIA bloc to join the yatra at any point along its route.

Spanning 6,713 km, the yatra will traverse 15 states, including Arunachal Pradesh. Notably, the 66-day journey will spend its longest duration — 11 days — in Uttar Pradesh, a politically crucial state that contributes the most MPs to Parliament. The Congress aims to improve its performance in Uttar Pradesh, where it secured only one seat in the 2019 Lok Sabha elections. The yatra will journey through 1,074km across 20 districts of the state. In Assam, participants will cover 833km in 17 districts over eight days.

AICC leader Jairam Ramesh, speaking with the media, explained that the term "Jodo" was included to emulate the impact of the initial Bharat Jodo Yatra from Kanyakumari to Jammu and Kashmir. This decision, along with other details, was finalised in a three-hour meeting led by Mallikarjun Kharge and attended by AICC general secretaries, state incharges, state chiefs, and Congress Legislature Party (CLP) leaders, Ramesh noted.

Congress President Mallikarjun Kharge with Rahul Gandhi, Priyanka Gandhi Vadra during a meeting at AICC headquarters in New Delhi on Thursday | SHEKHAR YADAV

Ramesh said, "Gandhi's Yatra is fundamentally about justice, aiming to achieve political, economic, and social justice for the people of India."

Addressing the participation of INDIA bloc parties in the yatra, Ramesh stated, "The Bharat Jodo Nyay Yatra is open to everyone. We invite INDIA alliance parties, Congress-aligned parties from various states, and civil society organizations to participate." When questioned about the Aam Aadmi Party (AAP)'s involvement, he confirmed that all INDIA bloc members, including AAP and Arvind Kejriwal, have been invited.

He further mentioned that the yatra will proceed both by buses and on foot, covering approximately 110 districts, around 100 Lok Sabha constituencies, and 337 assembly segments. Ramesh asserted that the Bharat Jodo Nyay Yatra would be as politically transformative as the previous Bharat Jodo Yatra.

"The concept of 'Nyay' derives from the preamble of the Indian Constitution, which promises justice—social, economic, and political—to all its citizens," Ramesh elaborated. He added that liberty, equality, and fraternity are deeply interconnected principles.

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Ahead of polls, BJP sends top leaders to head party fronts

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR
@ New Delhi

AHEAD of the 2024 LS elections, the BJP has appointed some senior leaders in charge of the party's various 'morchas' (fronts) to give a push to the party's outreach across the country. The appointments were notified late on Wednesday evening after consultations between party chief **JP Nadda** and other top senior functionaries with an eye to the LS polls.

Prominent among those appointed as in-charges of party's Morcha'(fronts) are the appointments of Sunil Bansal as in-charge of the BJP Yuva Morcha, Bandi Sanjay as in-charge of Kisan Morcha and Vinod Tawde, in-charge of the OBC Morcha.

A detailed discussion reportedly took place last month at two meetings of the party's national office-bearers with PM Modi, Home Minister Amit Shah and party chief JP Nadda. "Those meetings set the tone for the next elections. The chiefs of all the seven fronts came out with feedback and observations of their outreaches. The imperative to appoint in-charges was felt and approved to take the party closets to its LS target of seats", remarked a BJP source.

Getting ready for polls months ahead

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Senior party leader

Sources on Thursday said the appointments of seasoned and experienced leaders as in charge of several fronts were decided based on their organizational skills. "Those who have been appointed in charge hold considerable influence in various communities, being represented by their fronts. Their appointments are aimed at giving a further push to the party's outreach across the country for LS polls", remarked a senior BJP functionary.

After Sunil Bansal, Vinod Tawde and Bandi Sanjay, Tarun Chugh has been appointed in charge of the SC Morcha, Radha Mohan Das Aggarwal in charge of the ST Morcha and Dushyant Gautam as in charge of the Minority Morcha.

Sources said appointed incharges have also been assigned the task of taking the party's poll slogans like 'Teesri Baar Modi Sarkar, Aab ki baar 400 paar' and ' Modi Ki guarantee' to the people living in remote areas. Sunil Bansal, appointed in charge of the BJP Yuva Morcha, is national secretary of the party and in charge of West Bengal, Odisha and Telangana. Vinod Tawde is also the national general secretary, who calls himself a 'believer of developmental politics'.

Transformed & stronger India a new geopolitical factor: Chinese scholar

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

INDIA is indeed a major power, and the rapid changes in its internal and external strategies pose challenges to both itself and the international community. "It appears that a transformed, stronger, and more assertive India has become a new geopolitical factor that many countries need to consider," says Zhang Jiadong, Director of the Centre for South Asian Studies at Fudan University, China. Jiadong expressed these views in an opinion piece he wrote for the Global Times on January 2.

Jiadong based his observations on his visits to India. "During the trips, I found that India's domestic and foreign situations have changed tremendously compared to four years ago. India has achieved outstanding results in economic development and social governance, and its great power strategy has moved from dream to reality. However, potential risks and crises have also begun to unfold," Jiadong wrote.

India is on its way to becoming one of the fastest-growing major economies, and its attitude towards Chinese scholars has become more relaxed and moderate, rather than being as stubborn as before, wrote Jiadong. "For example, when discussing the trade imbalance between China and India, Indian scholars used to primarily focus on China's measures to reduce the trade imbalance. But now, they are placing more emphasis on India's export potential, actively seeking to reduce the trade deficit with China by taking the initiative and increasing Chinese imports from India," the writer observed in his opinion piece.

India, Nepal sign power trade agreement

India and Nepal signed a long-term power trade agreement on Thursday during the 7th India Nepal Joint Commission meeting held in Kathmandu. The meeting was chaired by External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar and Nepal Foreign Minister NP Saud. India also handed over the fifth tranche of relief for the Jajarkot- earthquake and will also supply assistance for post construction of the damage.

PAWAN KHERA

SC refuses to quash criminal proceedings

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Thursday refused to quash criminal cases registered against senior Congress leader Pawan Khera for his alleged remark against Prime Minister Narendra Modi.

Solicitor General (SG) Tushar Mehta, representing the Uttar Pradesh government, said the charge sheet was ready, and thereby the trial must proceed in the case against the party spokesperson and senior leader.

Although the two-judge bench headed by Justice B R Gavai and also comprising Justice Sandeep Mehta noted that the accused had repeatedly apologised in other defamation matters, but refused to quash the criminal cases against him. "An offence cannot be wished away," the bench said, and remarked, anyways now you go on apologising."

Rejecting Khera's appeal, the bench said, "Anyway, sorry, we are not inclined. We are not passing any interim relief at this stage in the matter," Justice Gavai said.

Calcutta HC order on adolescent girls wrong: SC

SUCHITRA KALYAN MOHANTY
@ New Delhi

The Supreme Court on Thursday criticised parts of the Calcutta High Court's controversial order advising adolescent girls to "control sexual urges", and said that such judgements were "absolutely wrong" and "send out wrong signal".

Appearing for West Bengal government, senior advocate Huzefa Ahmadi told the court that the state has also filed an appeal against the high court order. "The appeal was listed today before another bench of this court. That bench unfortunately could not sit," he said.

On October 18, a division bench of the Calcutta HC headed by Justice Chitta Ranjan Dash had advised young girls and boys to rein in sexual urges. It had made the observations while acquitting a man who was earlier convicted by a lower court

for raping a minor girl with whom he had a "romantic affair". Today, during the course of the hearing, a two-judge bench of the top court headed by Justice Abhay S Oka and comprising Justice Ujjal Bhuyan, expressed its concern on the manner in which judges were invoking their inherent powers under Section 482 of the Code of Criminal Procedure (CrPC) in making such observations.

"It is not only about observations. See the kind of findings," it observed, adding, "Writing such judgements is absolutely wrong... What kind of principles the judges have invoked," the court remarked.

Section 482 of the CrPC stated that criminal proceedings can be quashed in exercise of powers under this section, when it is found that the attempt was to give a "cloak of criminal offence" to a dispute which is essentially of civil nature.

Advocate Ahmadi said the state too was of the opinion that the high court's observations were "wrong."

While fixing the matter for further hearing on January 12, the apex court stated that it would hear both the state's appeal and suo motu case together on the day.

Terming the observations of the judges "highly objectionable and completely unwarranted," the court observed that the sweeping remarks by the HC was prima facie uncalled for.

The court took suo motu cognisance of the HC's order passed in last December and decided to hear it.

The top court, which had initiated a suo motu writ petition in the matter, had observed that judges are not expected to "preach" while writing judgements.

Senior Advocate Madhavi Divan, appointed as amicus curiae (Friend of the court) in the case, expressed serious concern over the judgment passed by the High Court, and told the apex court that the HC's observation was wrong as the question of sexual activity between adolescents did not arise at all. In fact, the man was not an adolescent at the time in this particular case.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

Bail to 13 accused in poll-related violence case

The Supreme Court has granted bail to 13 persons accused in connection with the killing of a political leader during the 2021 West Bengal election-related violence. The order of the apex court was uploaded today in the Supreme Court website. A two-judge bench of the Supreme Court, headed by Justice JK Maheshwari and also comprising Justice Sidhanshu Dhulia delivered the judgment, keeping in view the fact that the accused are fully cooperating with the Central Bureau of Investigation, making imprisonment unnecessary.

SC refuses to hear plea by Nikhil Gupta

The Supreme Court on Thursday refused to entertain a petition by a family member of Indian national Nikhil Gupta, under detention in a Czech prison over allegations of involvement in a foiled plot to kill pro-Khalistan Sikh separatist Gurpatwant Singh Pannun in the US, for consular access.

Judge recuses from blast case hearing

Supreme Court, hearing the appeal filed by the Rajasthan govt and the victims, recused from hearing the case against the acquittal of various accused persons in the 2008 Jaipur bomb blasts case. It is to be noted that Rajasthan High Court is the parent High Court of Justice Mehta, and he was elevated to the SC in November last year.

68 members, including ministers, set to retire from Rajya Sabha this year

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

THE Rajya Sabha will see the completion of tenures of its 68 members in 2024. Among them, 9 are Union ministers in the Modi government while others are holding posts in various committees. Prominent among 68 whose six-year terms will be completed are railway minister Ashwini Vaishnaw, Dharmendra Pradhan, Bhupendra Yadav, Mansukh Mandaviya and former PM Dr Manmohan Singh in April.

The ministers now in the Modi government are speculated to be contesting in the LS elections, so new faces will fill the vacancies in the Upper House. The election of three vacancies, emerging in January out of 68, is all set to take place in Delhi where AAP leaders Sanjay Singh, Narain Das Gupta and Sushil Kumar Gupta will complete their tenures on January 27.

The election has also been called for the lone Rajya Sabha seat in Sikkim where SDF member Hishey Lachungpa is set to retire on February 23.

According to official data, the BJP-ruled UP will have the highest number of 10 vacancies in the RS, followed by Maharashtra and Bihar-6 each, Madhya Pradesh and West Bengal-5 each, Karnataka and Gujarat-4 each, Odisha, Telangana, Kerala and Andhra Pradesh 3 each, Jharkhand and Rajasthan 2 each and Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana and Chhattisgarh- 1 each. Sources said BJP chief J P Nadda will have to look for re-nomination from Himachal Pradesh.

The retiring members include Manmohan Singh and Bhupendra Yadav (Rajasthan), Ashwini Vaishnaw, BJD members Prashanta Nanda and Amar Patnaik (Odisha), BJP chief spokesperson Anil Baluni (Uttarakhand), Mansukh Mandaviya and Fisheries Minister Parshottam Rupala, and Congress members Naranbhai Rathwa and Amee Yagnik from Gujarat. Railway minister Ashwini Vaishnaw is likely to contest from Balasore LS election.

As per official data, Minister of State for External Affairs V Muraleedharan, MSME Minister Narayan Rane, NCP member Vandana Chavan and Shiv Sena (UBT) member Anil Desai are retiring from Maharashtra. HRD minister Dharmendra Pradhan, BJP member Ajay Pratap Singh and Kailash Soni and Congress member Rajmani Patel are retiring from the Upper House from MP.

PROMINENT RETIREES

Among 68 are Ashwini Vaishnaw, Dharamendra Pradhan, Bhupendra Yadav, Mansukh Mandaviya & ex-PM Manmohan Singh

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Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh, Haryana & Chhattisgarh: **1 each.**

Revised rules for allocation of party symbols

PARVEZ SULTAN @ New Delhi

WITH only a few weeks remaining until the 2024 Parliamentary election, the Election Commission of India has revised rules for allocating common symbols to Registered and Unregistered Political Parties, subject to certain conditions. On Thursday, the ECI announced that RUPPs which have submitted their contribution reports and audited annual accounts for the past three financial years, as well as election expenditure statements for their last two contested elections, will be eligible for 'concession of common symbol allotment'.

The Commission also noted that it is receiving applications from parties in question, following the prescribed proforma for the allocation of common symbols, in accordance with the Election Symbols (Reservation & Allotment) Order, 1968.

A newly registered party, a political group that has not attained a certain vote percentage or general elections to be recognised as a state/national party, or one that has not contested elections since its registration, are considered RUPPs.

Only processing charges to be levied for procuring blood in hospitals: Govt

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

HOSPITALS and blood banks can only charge processing fees for blood as the government has now decided to do away with all other fees to check the practice of overcharging. In a communication to all states and UT drugs controllers cum licensing authorities, the Drugs Controller General of India (DCGI) said that the decision was taken in view of the opinion that "blood is not for sale".

Referring to the 62nd meeting of the Drugs Consultative Committee held on September 26, 2023, the DCGI in the letter on December 26 said, "It was recommended with respect of agenda No. 18 of ATR point 3, for overcharging of blood, it was opined that blood is not for sale, it is only for supply and only processing cost may be charged by the blood centre."

The revised guidelines now stipulate that only processing fees can be charged for blood or blood components, which ranges from ₹250 to ₹1,550 for blood or blood components.

The DCGI has asked states and UT drug controllers to direct all blood centres under their jurisdiction to adhere to the revised guidelines.

Per unit of blood in case of no blood donation is priced between ₹3,000 to ₹8,000 by private hospitals, officials said.

In cases of blood shortage or rare blood groups, the charges may go up higher.

For blood donation, the age of the donor must be above 18 years and below 65 years. He/she must have a haemoglobin count that is not less than 12.5 g/dl. The Weigh should not less than 45 kgs. One should have a normal body temperature at the time of donation.

A study in 2022 extrapolated the eligible donor population in India at 402 million. The supply was estimated at 33.8 donations against the demand of 36.3 per thousand donations, translating to a shortage of one million units annually. Medical specialty had the highest demand for blood at 6.0 million units (41.2%), followed by surgery 4.1 million (27.9%), obstetrics and gynecology 3.3 million (22.4%) and pediatrics 1.2 million (8.5%).

The government in 2002 published the National Blood Policy to reiterate the commitment to safe blood and blood components. It documents the strategies for making available adequate resources, technology, and training for improving transfusion services apart from outlining methods for donor motivation and appropriate clinical use of blood by clinicians.

Revised guidelines for blood donation

The revised guidelines now stipulate that only processing fees can be charged for blood or blood components, which ranges from ₹250 to ₹1,550 for blood or blood components. The DCGI has asked states and UT drug controllers to direct all blood centres under their jurisdiction to adhere to the revised guidelines.

TERRORISM

The J&K Police on Thursday busted a terror module in the Budgam district, arresting seven alleged terrorist associates. He said the terrorist aides were involved in the dissemination of anti-national propaganda

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Amritsar	40	23	Lucknow	42	27
Chennai	39	30	Port Blair	34	28
Kolkata	36	26	Imphal	23	18
Srinagar	18	08	Chandigarh	42	23

Maha go-ahead for old pension plan

Chief Minister Shinde clears subsidy of ₹5 on per litre of milk produced by state farmers

SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @Mumbai

THE Maharashtra cabinet on Thursday gave the go-ahead to a proposal that will enable state employees, who joined the government service after November 1, 2005, to opt for the Old Pension Scheme (OPS). Chairing the meeting, Chief Minister Eknath Shinde approved the proposal in addition to few others that will benefit the farmers and the common people.

As per the decision, though the employees who joined the government service on or after November 1, 2005 are eligible but the advertisement for these posts has to be published before November 2005.

According to officials, the government officers and employees are being given a one-time option to implement the provisions of the Maharashtra Civil Service Pension Rules, 1982, Maharashtra Civil Service Pension Rules, 1984 and General Provident Fund and Ancillary Rules on the lines of the Central Government.

Officers and employees who opt to apply the old pension and ancillary rules will have a Provident Fund (GPF) account opened and their share of the new Defined Contribution Pension (NPS) along with interest will be credited to the said account. The amount of the State Government's share in the New Defined Contribution Pension Account (NPS) of officers and employees accepting the option of Old Pension and Subsidiary Rules will be transferred to the Consolidated Fund of the state along with interest, they added.

CM Eknath Shinde with Dy CMs Devendra Fadnavis and Ajit Pawar | PTI FILE

The decision comes days after the government and semi-government employees went on a strike reiterating their demand to restore the old scheme. Meanwhile, criticising the move, state government employees organisation secretary Ganpat Kulte alleged that it will benefit only 5% employees.

He said of the 17 lakh employees, only 5,000 will avail the benefits of this OPS decision. "As per state government, the OPS will be only given to those whose selections advertisements published before November 2005 even though they joined service later. But what about the people whose selections advertisements published after 2005? We will raise the issue again. We are not satisfied with the state the government's decision," Kulte added.

The CM also approved the decision of giving the subsidy of Rs 5 on per litre of milk productions to farmers.

The subsidy scheme will be implemented through cooperative milk unions in the state. Co-operative milk farmers will have to pay a minimum of Rs29 per litre for 3.2 fat to the bank account online. Upon that, they will be given DBT credit through the government for Rs 5 per liter in the bank account.

This scheme will be in effect from January 1-February 29. The cabinet also agreed to implement the wine industry promotion scheme for five years to benefit farmers growing grape. Besides, the toll charges will be slashed from ₹ 500 to ₹250 for travelling on newly constructed Atal Bihari Vajpayee Shivadi Nhava Sheva Atal Setu.

However, for the frequent travellers, return pass is discounted at half the one way fare, daily pass is 2.5 times the one way fare.

'New DGP in state'

The Maharashtra government on Thursday appointed controversial 1988 batch IPS officer Rashmi Shukla as the director general of Maharashtra state police. Oppositions had opposed the appointment of Shulka as she allegedly tapped the mobile phone of the Opposition leaders including Maharashtra congress president Nana Patole, Shiv Sena leader Sanjay Raut, NCP leader Eknath Shinde during 2019 state assembly elections and formation of Maha Vikas Aghadi as well. She was close to the BJP.

Soren says won't quit, but keeps his team 'crisis-ready'

MUKESH RANJAN @Ranchi

CHIEF Minister Hemant Soren, during the legislative party meeting on Wednesday, assured MLAs of the ruling alliance that he was not going to resign. However, they were asked not to leave Ranchi and in case of an emergency, they should inform their whereabouts to their legislative party leader before leaving the state capital.

According to the sources in the ruling alliance, the Chief Minister told them that he will continue his struggle and sought their support to continue his battle against the atrocities of the BJP government at the centre.

The MLAs, who attended the meeting on Wednesday, also claimed that no discussion took place on the issue of Kalpana Soren and were informed by the Chief Minister that the Gandey MLA resigned as a precautionary measure to deal with any untoward political situation. Speculations were rife that the Gandey Assembly seat has been vacated for Soren's wife in case of any untoward situation in the wake of the ongoing probe being conducted by the Enforcement Directorate in land scam case.

"The Chief Minister assured quite confidently that there is nothing to worry as everything is under control. The sacrifice by former Gandey MLA Sarfaraj Ahemed is really commendable and the he and his party will never forget it," said an MLA of the ruling alliance. The Chief Minister said that the Gandey Assembly seat will be used judiciously at right time, he said.

He further added that the MLAs also assured Soren that they are all united and will not let any conspiracy succeed against the JMM-led alliance government in the state. Meanwhile, they have been asked to remain in the state capital at least for a week and in case, they need to go out to their constituencies.

JAIPUR DIARY

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Modi to address top cops in state capital

Prime Minister Narendra Modi will be spending three days in Jaipur in the new year. He will reach Jaipur on January 5 for high profile All India Conference of Director Generals and Inspector Generals of Police, where DGs and IGs from across the country will discuss issues of internal security. The meet will discuss new challenges of artificial intelligence (AI), cyber security, counter-terrorism and evolve a road map for implementation of the new criminal laws recently passed by Parliament. Before the meeting, PM Modi will visit the BJP headquarters in Jaipur to meet all newly-elected BJP MLAs to spur them on Lok Sabha battle.

State gets new Chief Secretary this year

Sudhansh Pant, a 1991 batch officer, has now become the new boss of the state bureaucracy. Though he was at 7 in seniority, he was picked as the Chief Secretary which many see as a reward for his tiff with the Water Supply Minister Mahesh Joshi during the Congress government. It made Pant move to Delhi in 2022. In his first meeting with bureaucrats, Pant gave clear indications that the work culture of the Bhajanlal government in the state will be on the lines of the Modi government at the Centre. Mentioning PM Modi, Pant said transparency and timeliness will be paramount.

Raj has ministers but they have no portfolios

It has been over a month since results of the Rajasthan election were declared, but portfolios for newly-appointed ministers still remain elusive. Everything has been getting delayed since the BJP victory. Firstly, they took 9 days before appointing the Chief Minister. Then it took another fortnight for the formation of the state cabinet which was delayed till December 30. But nearly a week later, portfolios are yet to be allotted - though most ministers, including two deputy CMs have started sitting in their offices in the secretariat, they virtually have no work since they have not been assigned any departments which is hampering government functioning.

Amid BJP aggressiveness, rift emerges in Trinamool over 'old vs new' factions

PRANAB MONDAL @Kolkata

THE recent debate on the nouveau and vieux within the Trinamool Congress with statements flying thick and fast is deferring the ruling party's plan to dive headlong into preparations ahead of the upcoming Lok Sabha elections.

When the BJP is planning massive propaganda over the Ram Mandir inauguration by PM Narendra Modi, TMC's top-tier leadership is being seen busy talking about old versus new guards referring to aunt versus nephew.

Though the conflict between old versus new is not first time in West Bengal's political fore, TMC's case is different as it seems to have divided the party along two factions—one known as party supremo Mamata Banerjee's loyal lieutenants and the other followers of her nephew and party's national general secretary Abhishek Banerjee.

"The debate ahead of the LS polls will benefit neither the old nor the new. We can win the elections based on organisational strength down to the booth level, which the BJP is lacking. Our booth-level preparations are getting affected which may turn into party's debacle in the upcoming general elections," said a senior TMC leader.

On Monday, TMC's foundation day witnessed a never-before war of words between leaders from the two camps.

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> Senior TMC leader

The meeting between Mamata and Abhishek, on the same day, followed a dramatic exchange of fire between the party's state president Subrata Bakshi, who is deemed as the face of the so-called old guards, and TMC's state general secretary Kunal Ghosh, who is believed to be Abhishek's mouthpiece.

In the backdrop of Abhishek's silence since Durga Puja on matters pertaining to politics, Bakshi said, "If Abhishek Banerjee decides to participate in the LS polls, I am confident that he will not leave the field and continue his battle for the party with Mamata Banerjee in the forefront."

MANIPUR

Govt forms SIT to probe Jan 1 civilian killings

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Guwahati

THE death toll in the new year shooting incident in Manipur rose to five even as the state government constituted a Special Investigation Team (SIT) to probe the case. One Md Abdur Rajaq, who was grievously injured in the incident, succumbed to his injuries at a private hospital on Wednesday.

The attack on that day was carried out by some gunmen at Lilong, a Meitei Pangal (Meitei Muslim)-dominated area in the Thoubal district of Imphal valley. Over a dozen people were also injured.

Later, the Revolutionary People's Front claimed responsibility. The insurgent group said the incident occurred during a mission to round up a drug cartel that persistently disregarded warnings to stop drug trade. An official order said Sub-Divisional Police Officer (SDPO) Md Riyajuddin Shah would head the six-member SIT.

Meanwhile, a crisis was averted after a Joint Action Committee of the Meitei Pangals agreed to claim the bodies of victims for last rites. This followed the signing of a MoU with the government in the presence of CM N Biren Singh.

Puri seer says won't visit Ayodhya, says rituals must conform to shastras

ANURAAG SINGH @Bhopal

SWAMI Nischalananda Saraswati – the Shankaracharya of Govardhana Peeth in Puri – one of prominent Hindu seers in the country has announced that he will not go for the January 22 installation of Lord Ram's idol at sanctum sanctorum of Ram Temple in Ayodhya.

Talking to journalists on the sidelines of a religious event of the Sanatan Dharma Sabha in Ratlam city of Madhya Pradesh on Wednesday, the Shankaracharya (who heads one of the four Mutts established by Adi Shankaracharya) made it clear that he's not going to Ayodhya for the January 22 event.

"Our Mutt has received the invite for the January 22 event in Ayodhya, which says that if I want to come there, I can come there maximum with one person. Even if I was allowed to be there with 100 people, I wouldn't have gone there that day."

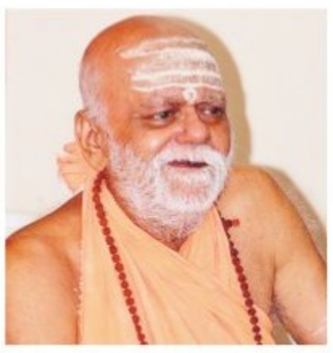
"I've been going to Ayodhya in the past and will visit the same religious city in future also to get darshan of Lord Ram, particularly as the work which remained blocked for centuries is finally happening. But the installation of Ramlala's idol in the temple should be done according to Shastriya Vidhi (principles of our Shastras). The jurisdiction of Govardhan Peeth/Mutt spans up to Prayag, but neither our advice nor our guidance was sought for the entire January 22 religious exercise," he added.

"I'm not at all upset, but happy just like any other Sanatani Hindu, particularly as the current Prime Minister Narendra Modi doesn't believe in portraying himself as secular. He is brave and takes pride in Hindutva and the concept of idol worship. He's not a coward who portrays himself as secular. But what will I do there as the Shankaracharya, when Modiji (PM Modi) will touch the idol and install it there, will I clap and hail him."

He also recounted how Narendra Modi had met him before taking oath as PM and frequent visits by UP CM Yogi Adityanath to him at least twice or thrice annually before the COVID-19 pandemic. "Former VHP president Late Ashok Singhal met me at least 70 times."

While the Shankaracharya praised PM Modi for his commitment towards Hindutva, he also added, "The pilgrimages are now being turned into centers of tourism in the name of development which means that Teerth Sthals are being turned into Bhog Sthals, perhaps this what is being lapped up by the people also in the name of development."

Meanwhile, former MP CM and present Congress MP Digvijaya Singh questioned in Indore, about why a new idol is being installed at the Ram Temple. "Major dispute pertained to the old idol of Ramlala, where is that idol?"



Massive diya

In an effort to add uniqueness to the event, there will be an installation of a huge 'Diya' (earthen lamp) which will be lighted on the day of consecration symbolising the 'diyas' of Treta Yug, the era of Lord Ram. Named as 'Dashrath Deep', the earthen lamp would have a diameter of around 28 metre and would require at least 21 quintal oil to get illuminated. It will take shape to be placed at Ramghat

U'khand's rogue tigers to be 'sentenced to life'

NARENDRA SETHI @Dehradun

IN Uttarakhand, 23 tigers and tigresses, implicated in the deaths of nine people and other injuries, face a bleak future with little chance of release. Their aggressive behaviour has necessitated a decision to keep them permanently in rescue centres, effectively serving 'life sentences'.

A notable case involves a tigress from Bhimtal, linked to the deaths of three women and now relocated to the Dhela Rescue Centre. Classified as a man-eater by the Wildlife Institute of India, this tigress is condemned to lifelong confinement, with no possibility of returning to the wild. According to forest department records, a series of tiger attacks have occurred in the Dhikala area.

For instance, on August 13, 2019, a tiger killed beat watcher Bishan Ram during his patrol in Dhikala. Subsequently, on February 12, 2022, an unidentified individual fell victim to a tiger near the Dhungari Gate on NH-309. Then, on June 16, 2022, a tiger fatally attacked bike rider Khalil Ahmad at the same location. These incidents

prompted swift action from the department, leading to the capture of a tigress from the Sarpaduli Range on July 8, 2022, who is now housed at the rescue centre.

Additionally, on July 16, 2022, a tiger killed bike rider Afsarul near Mohan. Then, on December 12, 2022, ex-serviceman Bahadur Singh Bisht was attacked and killed by a tiger at Dhungari on NH-309.

Furthermore, on December 24, 2022, a tiger killed Mohd. Nafees near Panodnala on NH-309. Both the tiger and tigress were identified in all three incidents. Forest officials captured the tigress on January 18 and the tiger on February 16. Currently, both are held at the rescue centre.

Dr Dheeraj Pandey, director of Corbett Tiger Reserve, noted that the tiger population in the state, especially in Corbett, has impressively doubled to 260, despite no expansion in the park's size. "We have initiated the 'Living with Tigers' program, which includes ongoing awareness and orientation sessions about tigers for school children and the general public since June 16, 2023," Dr Pandey stated. He added that over 2000 school children have participated in these sessions, and awareness campaigns about tigers are being conducted through WhatsApp groups and other programs.

Dr Pandey highlighted that most tiger attacks happen in forested areas, often due to risky human behaviour, like venturing into these areas at night. He suggests that the responsibility in such cases lies with the individuals.

Sameer Sinha, the Chief Wildlife Warden, holds the final decision on these tigers' fate. He described the decision-making process as highly sensitive, involving thorough evaluation of all factors before deciding on the release of any confined tiger.

Currently, the tigers are housed in three rescue centres located in Almora, Dhela, and Chidiyapur. Restrictions are in place to reduce stress on these animals, already distressed from captivity. Sources in the forest department mention that making loud noises near the rescue centres is prohibited, as the 'convicted tigers' are already under natural stress due to captivity.

Big cat attacks

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PENSION ISSUE NEEDS URGENT ATTENTION: FATHER OF LCA

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THEY explained that their situation has become acute following the Covid-19 pandemic and increased cost of living, housing, and children's education.

The LCA is the most successful programme and they are hopeful of getting the pension, the association president Biju Uthup told *The New Indian Express* on Thursday. "Giving pension is the best award you can give to scientists and employees who have given the LCA to the nation," said Biju, who worked with ADA from 1987 to 2019. He was a project director of the Unmanned Combat Aerial Vehicle (UCAV) project and an Outstanding Scientist.

Former Chief Public Relations Officer of ADA, JP Rao, said their fight for pension started right after the LCA's maiden flight on January 4, 2001.

"We are not getting any pension. ADA was an autonomous body registered under the Societies Registration Act and it does not come under a Central government institution, though it was a central government body. Dr APJ Abdul Kalam (who later became India's President) had done it to cut red-tapism to fast track the project," said Rao, who worked in ADA right from the initial phase of the LCA development project.

The AREWA was formed in 2002. Apart from submitting memorandums to the Centre, its members had also met the Parliamentary Standing Committee members who had visited ADA. After the Parliamentary Standing Committee members took it up with the Defence Minister, AREWA got a response stating that their request was under consideration.

'Father of the LCA project' and former director of ADA, Dr Kota Harinarayana, also confirmed with *The New Indian Express* that every time they speak to the officials of the Ministry of Defence, they are told that they will get it done. "There is an absolute need for attention towards this issue, and they richly deserve it," said the veteran scientist, after whose initials the very first LCA flying model was designated as "KH-01".

Now, the retired ADA team members of the early phase of the project development hope the pension for them sees the light of day before the Election Code of Conduct comes into effect in the next few months ahead of the 2024 Lok Sabha polls.

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FORM NO.14 [See Regulation 33 (2)]

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POSSESSION NOTICE
[RULE 8 (1) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized officer of **Aditya Birla Finance Limited** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 16.09.2019 calling upon M/s **SPOTFREE SOLUTION PVT LTD, Mr. SHASHI NANAIAH, Mr. Mohan K Nanaiah, Mrs. Mouna Shashi, Mrs. Mamtha Mohan, Apple Blossom Beauty Academy, Mrs. K. Aninthrani, Mrs. K.S. Kumar, M/s PRISTINE AUTO SOLUTIONS PVT LTD,** as Borrowers/Co-Borrowers/Mortgagers to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 1,29,64,110/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty-Nine Lakh Sixty-Four Thousand One Hundred and Ten Only)** as on **12.07.2019** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice together with further interest and other charges from the date of demand notice till the date of payment/realization.
The borrowers and co-borrower's despite being served with the said notice and having failed to repay the entire notice amount together with further interest and other charges, notice was given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned had taken **Symbolic Possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **18th day of September , 2019**. Further paper publication has been affected in two newspapers on 24.09.2019 as contemplated by SARFAESI act.
In the above circumstances on this **02nd day of January 2024** the undersigned Authorized officer had taken **Physical possession** of the property mentioned herein below after taking inventory of materials available in the said property under Section 14 of the SARFAESI Act.
The borrowers and co-borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Aditya Birla Finance Limited** for an amount of **Rs. 1,29,64,110/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty-Nine Lakh Sixty-Four Thousand One Hundred and Ten Only)** as on **12.07.2019**, together with further interest and other charges from the date of demand notice till the date of payment/realization.
The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE MORTGAGED PROPERTY

All piece and parcel of the property bearing No. 34, Katha No.221/1, Property No. 404/P1, Situated at Kalkere Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Now it is Bangalore East Taluk, in the name of Mr Mohan. K. Nanaiah measuring East to West of the Northern Side 76 Feet and on the Sothern Side 73 feet and North to South 40 feet in all measuring 2980 Sq. feet and bounded on the : East by: 25 feet Road, West by: Private Property, North by : Site No. 35 belongs to Fairine Guyson, South by : Site No33.

Place:Bangalore
Date :04.01.2024
LAN:0111701& 0111703.

for Aditya Birla Finance Limited
Authorized Officer

MAHAGENCO — TENDER NOTICE : CPA-01-2024

Digitally signed tenders under Two Bid System are invited for the following

Description of tenders: Procurement of Nylon Conveyor Belts for MSPGCL's various TPS

Tender No.: RFx No: 3000044394 (Width 1600 mm and above)	Tender No.: RFx No: 3000044403 (Width 500 mm to 1400 mm)

Due Date & Time of Submission of Tender Bids: Up to 15.00 hrs of 15/01/2024

Contact Person: Office of Chief Engineer (CPA), Tel No.: 022-26474211, Extn: 3617/3618. For further details visit our website **https://eprocurement.mahagenco.in/**

CHIEF ENGINEER (CPA)

ಚುನಾವಣಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ

ಸುರಭಿ ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ ಕ್ರೆಡಿಟ್ ಕೋ-ಆಪರೇಟಿವ್ ಸೊಸೈಟಿ ಲಿಮಿಟೆಡ್

ನಂ. 2, ಸುರಭಿ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಸದನ, 13ನೇ ಕ್ರಾಸ್, ಅತ್ತಿಮಬ್ಬೆ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಬನಶಂಕರಿ 2ನೇ ಹಂತ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560070, ದೂ. 9742060295

ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಸಹಕಾರಿಯ ಆಡಳಿತ ಮಂಡಳಿಯ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಚುನಾವಣೆಯನ್ನು (ಹಿಂದುಳಿದ ವರ್ಗ/ ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿ/ ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಪಂಗಡ/ ಮಹಿಳೆ/ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಸ್ಥಾನಗಳಿಗೆ ಮೀಸಲಿಟ್ಟ ಮತ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರಗಳಿಂದ) ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಅಧಿನಿಯಮ, 1997 ಮತ್ತು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ನಿಯಮ ರೀತ್ಯ **ದಿನಾಂಕ 21-01-2024ರಂದು ಸುರಭಿ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಸದನ, 1ನೇ ಮಹಡಿ, 13ನೇ ಕ್ರಾಸ್, ಅತ್ತಿಮಬ್ಬೆ ರೋಡ್, ಬನಶಂಕರಿ 2ನೇ ಹಂತ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-70.** ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಚುನಾವಣೆ ನಡೆಸಲು ಉದ್ದೇಶಿಸಿ ಚುನಾವಣೆ ವೇಳಾಪಟ್ಟಿಯನ್ನು ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಹಾಗೂ ಸದರಿ ವೇಳಾಪಟ್ಟಿಯನ್ನು ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಅರ್ಹ ಸದಸ್ಯರಿಗೆ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಅಂಚೆಯ ಮೂಲಕ ಕಳುಹಿಸಲಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. **ದಿನಾಂಕ 08-01-2024 ರಿಂದ 13-01-2024ರೊಳಗೆ ನಾಮಪತ್ರ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ.** ಆದಾಗ್ಯೂ ಯಾವುದೇ ಕಾರಣದಿಂದ ಅರ್ಹ ಸದಸ್ಯರಿಗೆ ವೇಳಾಪಟ್ಟಿ ತಲುಪದೇ ಇದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ, ಚುನಾವಣೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಲು ಕೋರುತ್ತಾ, ಈ ಕುರಿತು ಇತರೆ ಯಾವುದೇ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿಗಾಗಿ ರಿಟರ್ನಿಂಗ್ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಯನ್ನು/ ಸಹಕಾರಿಯ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿಯನ್ನು / ಸಹಕಾರಿಯ ಕಛೇರಿಯನ್ನು ಸಂಪರ್ಕಿಸಲು ಕೋರಿದೆ.

ದಿನಾಂಕ: 02-01-2024
ಸ್ಥಳ: ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು

ಸಹಿ/-
(ಎನ್. ಸರಸ್ವತಮ್ಮ)
ರಿಟರ್ನಿಂಗ್ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿ

CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED

Corporate Office : "CHOLA CREST", C54 & 55, Super B-4, Thiru. Vi.Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai - 600 032.
Branch Address : No.74/22, HV Arcade, 2nd Floor, Sy No. 751/2, Bagalur Road, Hosur – 635109.

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule - 8 (1)] (For immovable Property)

under Section 13[4] of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **M/s Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited,** having its registered office at 1st Floor, 'Dare House', No.2, N.S.C. Bose Road, Chennai-600 001 and Municipal No.45, (Old Nos. 45& 45/1), Second Floor, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore - 560027. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13[12] read with Rules 9 of the Security Interest [Enforcement] Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **19.05.2022 (Loan Account No.X0HEHOR00002467183 and X0HEHOR00003091657)** calling upon the Borrowers **1) Ashwathamma N,** 403, M G Road,near Yellamma Temple, Sarjapura, Anekal, Karnataka-562125, **2) Venkatesa C M,** 403,m G Road,near Yellamma Temple, Sarjapura, Anekal, Karnataka-562125, 3) **M/s. Om Sakthi Enterprises,** 403, M G Road,near Yellamma Temple, Sarjapura, Anekal, Karnataka-562125 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.54,65,379.31/-and Rs.13,98,993.80/- totalling to Rs.68,64,373.11/- (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakhs Sixty Four Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Three and Eleven Paise Only) as on 16-05-2022** with interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers in particular and the public in general that the undersigned as per the order dated **22-09-2023 Passed By The Chief Judicial Magistrate, Bengaluru Rural District at Bangalore in Crl.Misc.1037/2023** has taken Possession of the Property described herein below in Exercise of the powers conferred on him under section 13[4], 13[12] of the Said Act Read With Rule 8 and 9 of the said rules security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **03rd day of January 2024.**
Under section 13 [8] of the Securitisation Act, the borrowers can redeem the secured asset by payment of the entire outstanding including all costs, charges and expenses before notification of sale.
The borrowers in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the said property will be subject to the charge of **M/s Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited,** for an amount of being **Rs.68,64,373.11/- (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakhs Sixty Four Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Three and Eleven Paise Only)** as on **16-05-2022** and interest and charges thereon.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY (Property Covered Under Regd. Sale Deed Document No.5360/2014-15 date 26.03.2015 of SRO Sarjapura) All that piece and parcel of the Property situated at Bangalore Urban District, Anekal Taluk, Sarjapura Hobli, Sarjapura Village, bearing Survey No. 452 measuring 1 Acre 20.08 guntas of land which has been converted from Agricultural to Non-Agricultural Residential Purpose by the order No. ALN.SR.30/1990-91 dated: 15.10.1990 passed by the Tahsildar of Anekal Taluk, out of this converted Site No. 21, Khatha No. 1101/21, as per Khatha PID No. 150200102300102912, Certificate No. 985674 measuring an extent of East to West : 40 feet, North to South: 35 feet totally measuring an extent of 1400 Sq. Feet land and bounded as follows: East: Mahamad Alikhan, S/o. Mr. Abdul Rehaman Khan Property, West: Site No. 20, North: Road, South: Site No.8 In the midst above said land with RCC Building.

Date: 03.01.2024
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
M/s. Cholamandalam Investment And Finance Company Limited.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that, my client M/s Mythreyi Infra Spaces LLP., represented by B.K. Rajendran, having office at No. 152, 20th Main, 12th Cross, JP Nagar, 2nd Phase, Bengaluru – 560078 Contact: 98450 40983 the Owners of the property consisting of the following Sy. Nos. have lost few original documents as per the list below.

Sy.No.163
1. Sale Deed, dated: 11.03.1978 executed by Hanumanthaiah, S/o. late Hanumantharayappa in favor of Muniyappa S/o. Hucchabairaiah registered as Document No. 2395/1977-78, Volume 1355 of Book I in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala;
2. Sale Deed, dated: 27.08.2003 executed by S.H. Venkatesh S/o. Hanumaiah and others in favor S.T. Nagarajaiah s/o. K. Thimmappa registered as document no. 1774, in Book I, Volume 2200 at Pages 142-144 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala Taluk;
3. Sale Deed, dated: 20.03.2003 executed by Muniyappa s/o. Hucchabairaiah in favor of S.T. Nagarajaiah s/o. late Thimmappa registered as document No. 3500/2003-04, in Book I, Volume 2171 at Pages 150-155 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala;

Sy.No.164/3
4. Sale Deed, dated: 24.03.1994 executed by Mohammed Khasim Sab along with his daughters namely Sharaffunnissa and Ameeda Bi in favor of Ramakrishna S/o. late Thimmegowda registered as Document No. 2211/1993-94, in Book I, Volume 1697 at Pages 93-94 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala Taluk.
5. Sale Deed executed by Ramakrishna S/o. late Thimmegowda in favor of S.T. Nagarajaiah S/o. Thimmappa registered as Document No. 3789/2003-04 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala.

Sy.No.153/3, 163 & 164/3
6. Release Deed, dated: 30.08.2004 executed by S.N. Harish S/o. S.T. Nagarajaiah in favor of his father S.T. Nagarajaiah S/o. K. Thimmappa registered as Document No. NMG-1-03051-2004-05, in Book I, stored in C.D. No. NMGD18 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala.
7. Family Settlement, dated: 14.05.2005 entered between S.T. Nagarajaiah S/o. late Thimmappa and others registered as Document No. NMG-1-01457-2005-06, in Book I, stored in C.D. No. NMGD37 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala.
8. Gift Deed, dated: 19.10.2007 executed by S.N. Harish S/o. S.T. Nagarajaiah in favor of Savitha registered as Document No NMG-1-04746-2007-08, in Book I, stored in C.D. No. NMGD92 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala;
9. Discharge Deed, dated: 10.11.2014 executed by Axis Bank Limited in favor of S.N. Harish S/o. S.T. Nagarajaiah and Savitha Harish W/o. S.N. Harish registered as Document No. NMG-1-07881-2014-15, in Book I, stored in C.D. No. NMGD318 in the office of the Senior Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala;

Regarding this, We have lodged a police complaint on 04.01.2024 vide Lost Report No. 0875678/2024. Any person/s in any possession of the aforesaid documents may kindly return to us at above said address.

Shivaram Bhat Associates, Advocates & Solicitors
No. 6, 2nd Floor, Kasturi Apartments, No. 35/11, Langford Road Cross, Bangalore – 560025, Ph: 9342223330

IDFC FIRST Bank Limited

(erstwhile IDFC FIRST Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)
CIN : L65110TN2014PLC097792
Registered Office: KRM Towers, 8th Floor, Harrington Road, Chetpet, Chennai-600031. TEL: +91 44 4564 4000 | FAX: +91 44 4564 4022.

APPENDIX IV [Rule 8(1)]
POSSESSION NOTICE (For immovable property)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile IDFC FIRST Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **17-09-2019** calling upon the borrower, co-borrowers and guarantors **1. Mr. Nakkul** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 45,01,940.37/- (Rupees Forty Five Lakhs One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty and Thirty Seven Paise Only)** as on **17-09-2019,** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Demand notice.
The borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken **Physical Possession** of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub – section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this **2nd day of January 2024.**
The borrowers in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of THE **IDFC FIRST Bank Limited (erstwhile IDFC FIRST Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)** for an amount of **Rs. 45,01,940.37/- (Rupees Forty Five Lakhs One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty and Thirty Seven Paise Only)** and interest thereon.
The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub – Section (8) Of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the Immovable properties

All the piece and parcel of the property consisting of Flat No. 09, 2nd Floor, Pavan Apartment, measuring 830 sq. fts., constructed on Property bearing Old Site No. 31 & 32, formed in Sy. No. 15/1, Avalahalli Village, Uttarahali Hobli, Bangalore South taluk, presently at 1st 'D' Main Road, 2nd Phase, Girinagar, Bangalore – 560078
Bounded: North : Road, South : Writers Colony (V.B.H.S.), East : Property No. 30, West : Property No. 33

Date : 2nd January 2024
Place : Bangalore
Loan Account No : 21311007

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
IDFC FIRST Bank Limited
(erstwhile IDFC FIRST Limited and amalgamated with IDFC Bank Limited)

FEDBANK FINANCIAL SERVICES LTD.

Having corporate office at Kanakia Wall Street, A-Wing, 5th Floor, Unit No.501, 502, 511, 512 Andheri - Kurla Road, Chakala, Andheri East, Mumbai, Maharshtra - 400093

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Fedbank Financial Services Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated 17th October, 2023 and subsequently carried out the paper publication on 26th October 2023 calling upon the **Borrower, Mortgagor, Co-Borrower(s):- 1. Mrs. Poornima K Rep by its Authorised Signatory (Borrower), 2. Mr. Nagabushana. (Co – Borrower)** to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice being **Rs.38,43,882/- (Rupees Thirty Eight lakh Forty three thousand eight hundred and eighty two Only) as on 16.10.2023** together with further interest thereon at the contractual rate plus all costs charges and incidental expenses etc. within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said demand notice.
The Borrower, Mortgagor and Co-Borrower(s)mentioned hereinabove having failed to repay the above said amount within the specific period, notice is hereby given to the Borrower, Mortgagor & Co-Borrower(s) and the public in general that the undersigned Authorised officer has taken symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the SARFAESI Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **03rd January of the year 2024.**
The Borrower, Mortgagor , Co-Borrower(s) and Guarantor mentioned hereinabove in particular and the public in general is/are hereby cautioned not to deal with the following property and any dealings with the following property will be subject to the charge of Fedbank Financial Services Ltd. for an amount of **Rs.38,43,882/- (Rupees Thirty Eight lakh Forty three thousand eight hundred and eighty two Only) as on 16.10.2023** together with further interest thereon at the contractual rate plus all the costs charges and incidental expenses etc.
The borrower's attention is invited to sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.
Schedule-A: Description of Property: (Particulars of the immovable property mortgaged to FFSL): All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site No.2, carved out of Converted Sy. No.68/2, (converted from agricultural residential purpose vide Conversion Order no. ALN(EVH)SR/153/15 -16, dated 28.01.2015, issued by Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore East Taluk, Previously comes under Mahadevapura CMC Limits, Presently comes under BBMP limits, Ward No.149, with all rights, appurtenances whatsoever hereunder or underneath or above the surface, along with all rights, present and future, if any, which may be accrued upon the said property. Measuring East to West : 63 feet and North to South : 34 Feet, in total measuring 2142 Sq. Feet. East By : 15 Feet Road, West By : Sy. No.68/3 belongs to Sri. S Ravi, North By : Portion of Site No. 1, namely Site No. 1A belongs To Sri. K. Ashwatha Narayana and Sri. K Prakash And Remaining portion of site No. 1, namely Site No. 1B belongs to Sri. K Nagabushana South By : Site No.3 belongs to Smt. Prabhavathi,

Date:- 03/01/2024
Place:- Bangalore

Sd/-
AUTHORISED OFFICER
Fedbank Financial Services Ltd

CAN FIN HOMES LTD.

Can Fin Homes Ltd (Sponsor: CANARA BANK)
CIN : L85110KA1987PLC008699
148/E, Sri Siddalingeshwara Towers, 17th Main, East of Chord Road, Vijayanagar, Bengaluru-40.
Phone : 080-23404965/23359162/9980701129
E-Mail – vijayanagar@canfinhomes.com

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13 (2) of "The Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (No. 54 of 2002)"

To,
1. Mrs. Subhashini Y (Borrower), W/o. Muralidhar J, No. 95/1A1-1, Chandra Vihar, Konnappana Agrahara, Electronic City, Bengaluru - 560100. **2. Mr. Muralidhar J (Co-Borrower)** S/o. Raghunath Rao Joshi, No. 95/1A1-1, Chandra Vihar, Konnappana Agrahara, Electronic City, Bengaluru - 560100.

No.1 & 2 amongst you have availed a housing loan from our branch against the security of mortgage of the following asset belonging to No.1 of Amongst you. An amount of **Rs. 21,16,733/-** is due from you, to Can Fin Homes Ltd. as on 30-12-2023 together with future interest at the contracted rate.

DETAILS OF THE MORTGAGED ASSETS

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY : Item No. 1 : All that piece and Parcel of a Property being converted land measuring 13,068 Sq.Ft(0-12 guntas) in VP Katha No: 5190/108/2, Sy.No:108/2(vide conversion certificate bearing No: BDS.ALN.(A).SR.365/2004-05 dated: 28.01.2005 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore) situated at Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and **Bounded as follows : East :** Road & Land belongs to Sampangi Ramaiah in Portion of Sy.No.108/2, **West :** Land belongs to Pillappa, Now Smt. Chennamma in portion of Sy.No. 108/2, **North :** Land belongs to Mr. B M Venkatesh, **South :** Land belongs to Mr. V. Ashwathnarayana.

Item No. 2 : All that piece and Parcel of a Property being converted land measuring 4,356 Sq.Ft (0-4 guntas) in VP Katha No: 5189/108/2, Sy.No:108/2(vide conversion certificate bearing No: ALN.(A).(A).SR.33/2010-11 dated: 17.08.2010 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore) situated at Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and **Bounded as follows : East :** Land belongs to Pillappa Now Smt. Chennamma in Portion of Sy.No.108/2, **West :** Land belongs to P.Ananda Murthy in portion of Sy.No. 108/2, **North :** Land belongs to Mr. B M Venkatesh, **South :** Land belongs to Mr.V.Ashwathnarayana.

Item No. 3 : All that piece and Parcel of a Property being converted land measuring 10,890 Sq.Ft (0-10 guntas) in VP Katha No: 5189/108/2, Sy.No:108/2(vide conversion certificate bearing No: ALN.(A)(A).SR.33/2010-11 dated: 17.08.2010 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore) situated at Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and **Bounded as follows : East :** Land belongs to P.Lakshmana in Portion of Sy.No.108/2, **West :** Land belongs to P.Ananda Murthy in portion of Sy.No. 108/2, **North :** Land belongs to Mr. B M Venkatesh, **South :** Land belongs to Mr.V.Ashwathnarayana.

Item No. 4 : All that piece and Parcel of a Property being converted land measuring 5,445 Sq.Ft (0-5 guntas) in VP Katha No: 5193/108/2, Sy.No:108/2 and another property being converted and measuring 13,198 Sq.Ft (0-123/4 Guntas) in VP Katha No: 5194/108/1, Sy.No108/1(vide conversion certificate bearing No: ALN.(A) (K & A).SR.184/2005-06 dated: 06.08.2008 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore) both intotal measuring 18,643 Sq.Ft (0-17 3/4 Guntas) situated at Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District and **Bounded as follows : East :** Land belongs to Sharadamma in Portion of Sy.No.108/2, **West :** Land belongs to Rudramma, **North :** Land belongs to Mr. L. Ramachandrappa & Mr. B M Venkatesh, **South :** Land belongs to Mr.V.Ashwathnarayana.

The boundary is carved out of both Sy.Nos.108/2 measuring 0-5 guntas and Sy.No.108/1 measuring 0-12 3/4 Guntas in total 0-17 3/4 guntas of land.

Item Nos. 1,2,3 and 4 of Schedule A property are adjacent and abutting to each other and measuring in Total 46,957 Sq.Ft.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY : (Description of undivided share hereby conveyed) : Undivided share, right, title, interest, and ownership of land measuring 265 Sq.ft. in the land comprised in the Schedule 'A' property.

(Description of the Apartment conveyed in PRABHAVATHI PARAMOUNT)

All that piece and parcel of the Flat No.G-31, Ground Floor in the apartment Known as "Prabhavathi Paramount" in "B" Block, having a Super built-up area of 910 sq. ft. Which consisting of 2 Nos Bedrooms, One Hall, kitchen, Two Toilets with One car parking space in the Stilt Floor and **bounded on : East by :** Open Space, **West by :** Flat No. G -30, **North by :** Open Space, **South by :** Corridor.

Measuring a super built up area of 910 Sq.Ft.

Known Encumbrance if any : Nil.

Registered demand notice was sent to No.1 & 2 amongst you under Section 13 (2) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002, but the same was returned unserved. The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrower/s as per the said Act. Hence this paper publication. As you have failed to adhere to the terms of the sanction, the account is classified as a Non Performing Asset on 29-12-2023 as per the NHB Guidelines. You are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rate of interest thereon from 30-12-2023 within 60 days from the date of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESI Act to enforce the aforesaid security. Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to the provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured assets.

Date : 04-01-2024
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd.

बैंक ऑफ़ बड़ौदा Bank of Baroda

RECOVERY DEPARTMENT, BENGALURU CENTRAL REGIONAL OFFICE, Vijaya Tower, 5th Floor, 41/2, M G Road, Bengaluru - 560001
Email: recovery.blrcentral@bankofbaroda.com

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest(Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower, Mortgagor (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of **Bank of Baroda,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** basis for recovery of dues in below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower(s)/ Mortgagor(s)/ Guarantor(s)/ Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below-

SR/ LOT NO.	NAME & ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S/GUARANTOR/S	GIVE SHORT DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY WITH KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES, IF ANY	TOTAL DUES	DATE & TIME OF E-AUCTION	RESERVE PRICE, EMD AND BID INCREASE AMOUNT	STATUS OF POSSESSION (CONSTRUCTIVE/ PHYSICAL)	PROPERTY INSPECTION DATE & TIME
1	**1) G K Inc Represented by Prop: Smt Indira Basavaraju,** No 24/1/B, Ground Floor, 13th Cross, MTS Layout, Hoysala Circle, Kengeri Satellite Town, Bengaluru-560060. **2) Smt Indira Basavaraju** W/o Basavaraju, No 11, Parijatha Street, 5th Cross, Garden Villas, Nagarbhavi Main Road, Bengaluru-560072 (Borrower). **3) Sri Basavaraju** S/o Siddappa, No 11, Parijatha Street, 5th Cross, Garden Villas, Nagarbhavi Main Road, Bengaluru-560072 (Guarantor)	Property No 1: 1BHK Flat Bearing No A211 on the Second Floor having super built up area of 549 sq Ft., having RCC Roofing, Vitrified Flooring, Flush Doors and Aluminium Windows and One Open Car Parking space in the Stilt Floor, the building known as **"ASHRAYA BUDGET APARTMENTS",** Jigani Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District. Property No 2: 1BHK Flat Bearing No A212 on the Second Floor having super built up area of 545 sq Ft., having RCC Roofing, Vitrified Flooring, Flush Doors and Aluminium Windows and One Open Car Parking space in the Stilt Floor, the building known as **"ASHRAYA BUDGET APARTMENTS",** Jigani Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District. Property No 3: 1BHK Flat Bearing No A213 on the Second Floor having super built up area of 600 sq Ft., having RCC Roofing, Vitrified Flooring, Flush Doors and Aluminium Windows and One Open Car Parking space in the Stilt Floor, the building known as **"ASHRAYA BUDGET APARTMENTS",** Jigani Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District.	**Rs 1,54,43667.52 (Rupees One Crore Fifty Four Lakhs Fourty Three Thousand Six Hundred Sixty Seven and Paise Fifty Two Only) as on dt 31.12.2023 plus interest from 01.01.2024 and other charges**	**30.01.2024 between 02.00 PM to 06.00 PM**	**Property No 1** Rs 12,45,000/- Rs 1,24,500/- Rs 10,000/- **Property No 2** Rs 1245000/- Rs 1,24,500/- Rs 10,000/- **Property No 3** Rs 13,15,000/- Rs 1,31,500/- Rs 10,000/-	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER**
2	**(1) Sri Sreedhar B J S/o Jayaramu (Borrower)** Site No 1/A, BBMP Khatha No 46/2/1A, 4th Main, Valagerahalli, Byrava Nagar, South side of Gnanabodhini High School, Dubasipalya, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore 560059 **(2) Jayaramu S/o Puttegowda (Guarantor)** Site No 1/A, BBMP Khatha No 46/2/1A, 4th Main, Valagerahalli, Byrava Nagar, South side of Gnanabodhini High School, Dubasipalya, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore 560059	Property bearing Site No 1/A, BBMP Khatha No 46/2/1A,4th Main, Byrava Nagar, Dubasipalya, Valagerahalli, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Tq, Bangalore Extent East to West 25 ft, North to South 30 ft. Total 750 sq ft, East : Road, West : Property 6/A, North : BDA Property, South : Property of Lakshmana Gowda.	**Rs.67,51,246.69 (Rupees Sixty Seven Lakhs Fifty One Thousand Two Hundred Fourty Six And Paise Sixty nine only) as on 18.12.2023 plus Further interest from 19.12.2023 & other charges**	**30.01.2024 between 02.00 PM to 06.00 PM**	**RESERVE PRICE: Rs 43,66,000/-** **EMD AMOUNT: Rs 4.36,600/-** **BID INCREASE AMOUNT: Rs.25,000/-**	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER 080-25594873 Mobile No: +91-9880002956**
3	**1) Mr. Dayanand Arun Patil** S/o. Late. Arun Patil, Pruthvi Builders and Developes, No.29/2, Senaipilli Complex, Hulimavu Gate, Bannerghatta, Bengaluru-560076. **And also at:** H.No.12, Bijjanwadi, Tuljapur, Osmanabad Dist, Maharashtra-413601. **And also at:** H.No. 38/25/2, Gottigere, B G Road, Bengaluru -560083. **And also at:** Flat No.214, 'A' Block, Pruthvi Royal Apartments, Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk. **2) Mrs. Sindhu Bhai Patil,** H.No.38//25/2, Gottigere, B G Road, Bengaluru - 560083. **And also at:** H.No.12, Bijjanwadi,Tuljapur, Osmanabad Dist, Maharashtra-413601 **3) Mr. Pruthviraj S.** S/o P Shankar, No.37, 2nd Cross, Jambusavaridinne, J P Nagar, 8th Phase, Bengaluru -560076.**And also at:** 29/2, Senaipilli Complex, Hulimavu Gate, Bannerghatta, Bengaluru-560076. **4) Mr. Sarathi S** S/o Shyamanna, # 83/2, Shree Ghati Subramanya Swamy Nilaya, 5th Cross, Doddamma Layout, Hulimavu, B G Road, Bengaluru-560076. **5) Sri. John Prakash** S/o. Chinnappa, No.100, Ward No.192, 4th Cross, Near Sapthagiri Apartment, MLA Layout Main Road, Kalena Agrahara, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru -560076.	**SCHEDULE PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of Property being Residential Flat No.214 in A-Block on the Second Floor, Residential Apartment building Known as **"Pruthvi Royal"** Apartments, having Super Built u Area measuring 824.04 Square Feet, alongwith 212.37 Square Feet of undivided share, right, title interest and ownership alongwith One covered Car parking space, constructed in Land bearing converted Sy.No.43 (Vide order No. ALN (S.U) SR174/2010-11 dated 03.05.2011, measuring to an extent of 1 Acre 14 Guntas of Kharab, situated at Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, and bounded on the: East by: 'B' Block, West by: Corridor and Flat No.205, North by: Lift / Stair case, South by: Flat No.215.	**Rs.26,97,708.38 Paisa (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Ninety Seven Thousand Seven Hundred and Eight and Paisa Thirty Eight Only) as on 08.09.2023 Plus further interest from 09.09.2023**	**30/01/2024 From 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM**	**RESERVE PRICE: Rs.33,00,000/-** **EMD: Rs. 3,30,000/-** **Bid Increment Amount: Rs.10,000/-**	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER**
4	**1) Mrs. Elijabeth Antony Raj** W/o Mr.Antony Raj, H. No.66/7/8, Near Church, Bannerghatta Road, Chikkamanahalli, Gottigere, Bengaluru-560083 **And also at:** Flat No. 315, 'A' Block, Third Floor, 'Pruthvi Royal' Apartments, Survey No.43, Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru-560076 **2) Mr.Antony Raj** S/o Mr. Chinnappa, H. No.66/7/8, Near Church, Bannerghatta Road, Chikkamanahalli, Gottigere, Bengaluru-560083 **And also at:** Flat No. 315, 'A' Block, Third Floor, 'Pruthvi Royal' Apartments, Survey No.43, Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru-560076	**SCHEDULE A' PROPERTY:** All that piece and parcel of the Property being the Converted Property bearing Survey No.43, presently bearing No.220/43, situated BBMP at Gottigere Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru, presently coming under the jurisdiction of BBMP Ward No.192, measuring 1 Acre and 14 Guntas vide Order bearing No.ALN(S.U)SR. 174/2010-11, dated 03.05.2021, and hounded: On the East by : Land bearing Survey No.61 (Quarry), On the West by : Private Property, On the North by : Land bearing Survey, No.4 and Road, On the South by : Himagiri Properties (Survey Nos. 42 and 130) **SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY:** 208.15 Square Feet of undivided share, right, title and interest and ownership in the Schedule 'A' Property. **SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY:** Residential Apartment bearing Flat No.315 on the Third (3rd) Floor, in "A" Block in the Residential Apartment Building known as PRUTHVI ROYAL Apartments, having a Super Built Up Area measuring 807.66 Square Feet, constructed on the Schedule "A" Property, together with One Covered Car Parking Space and bounded:- On the East by : "B" Block, On the West by : Corridor and Flat No.303, On the North by : Flat No.314.	**Rs.26,46,113/- (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Forty Six Thousand One Hundred and Thirteen Only) as on 30.04.2023 Plus further interest and other charges from 30.04.2023**	**08/02/2024 From 2:00 PM to 6:00 PM**	**Reserve Price: Rs.33,00,000/-** **EMD: Rs. 3,30,000/-** **Bid Increment Amount: Rs.10,000/-**	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER**
5	**1) Mr.T.S.Soundara Rajan** S/o Mr.Seshadri **(Borrower),** #16, 1st floor, 2nd Cross, K.R.Colony, Domlur Layout, Bangalore – 560071. **2) Mr.S.Raghavan** S/o Mr.S.Seshadri **(Guarantor),** #142,7th Cross, 3rd Main, Talacauvery Layout, Basavanagudi, Bangalore-560037.	All that piece and parcel of the Residential property bearing Sy.No.218/1, situated in Kodihalli Village, Varthur Hobli, HAS Board Area, Bangalore South Taluk known as No.616, New No.20, (PID No.74-92-20) Link Road, 5th 'C' Cross, Kodihalli, Bangalore – 560008, BBMP Ward No.74,total measuring **2200 sq.ft.** standing in the name of Mr. T.S. Soundararajan and bounded with – East by - 15ft Wide Road, West by - Kullanna's Road, North by - Drain and Road, South by - Choudri's Land.	**Rs.1,09,37,115.74 (Rupees One Crore Nine Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand One Hundred Fifteen and Paise Seventy Four Only) plus interest & other charges from 01.05.2023.**	**08.02.2024 Between 02.00 PM to 06.00 PM**	**Rs.2,86,00,000/-** **Rs.28,60,000/-** **Rs.50,000/-**	**PHYSICAL POSSESSION**	**WITH PRIOR APPOINTMENT FROM AUTHORISED OFFICER**

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided in https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction.htm and https://ibapi.in. Also, prospective bidders may contact the authorized officer on Mobile No's. +91-9901423265 & +91-7897366366.

Date: 03.01.2024, Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer, Bank of Baroda

US strike in Baghdad kills Iran-backed militia head

Iraq's PM accuses the US-led anti-jihadist coalition; labels it a blatant aggression, a dangerous escalation, and assault

BAGHDAD

A US airstrike on the headquarters of an Iran-backed militia in central Baghdad on Thursday killed a high-ranking militia commander, officials said.

The Popular Mobilization Force (PMF), a coalition of militias that is nominally under the control of the Iraqi military, announced in a statement that its deputy head of operations in Baghdad, Mushtaq Taleb al-Saidi, or "Abu Taqwa," had been killed "as a result of brutal American aggression."

Iraqi PM Mohammed Shia al-Sudani's office accused the US-led anti-jihadist coalition of the strike, labelling it "a blatant aggression" as well as "a dangerous escalation and assault." "The Iraqi armed forces hold the global coalition forces responsible for this unwarranted attack," a spokesperson for Sudani said in a statement.

A US official who spoke on condition of anonymity to provide information that has not yet been publicly released confirmed that US forces conducted a strike on a vehicle in Baghdad on Monday against the group Harakat al-Nujaba. The group, one of the militias within PMF, was designated a terrorist organisation by Washington in 2019.

Iraqi military spokesman Yehia Rasool said that the Iraqi army blames the US-led International Coalition Forces for the "unprovoked attack on an Iraqi security body operating in accordance with the powers granted to it by" the Iraqi military. Thursday's strike killed two persons and wounded five, according to two militia officials who spoke on condition of anonymity. One of the officials said Mushtaq Taleb al-Saidi was driving into the garage of the headquarters affiliated with the Harakat al-Nujaba militia, along with another militia official, when the car was hit, killing both.

Members of an Iraqi Shiite militant group stand outside the headquarters of the Popular Mobilization Force after it was hit in Baghdad, Iraq on Thursday | AP

Heavy security was deployed around the location of the strike on Baghdad's Palestine Street, and Iraqi war planes could be seen flying overhead.

An *AP* photographer was eventually allowed access to the scene of the strike, where he saw the remains of the charred car. *Agencies*

EXPRESS READ

Rishi Sunak eyes second half of 2024 for election

London: UK PM Rishi Sunak said on Thursday he had pencilled in later this year for a general election, as he and his main political rival to be Britain's next leader effectively kicked off campaigning. Sunak and Labour leader Keir Starmer both made their first public appearances of 2024, travelling to Mansfield, in the English Midlands, and Bristol.

ಮಂಗಳೂರು ಮಹಾನಗರಪಾಲಿಕೆ

ಮಂಮಪಾ/ಇಇ/ಮ.ನ.ಪಾ ನಿಧಿ/2023–24 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 02.01.2024

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ E-PROCUREMENT OF KARNATAKA

ಮಂಗಳೂರು ಮಹಾನಗರಪಾಲಿಕೆ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ಸೂಚಿಸಿರುವ ಇಂಡೆಂಟ್‌ಗಳ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಮಹಾನಗರಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನದಲ್ಲಿ WORK INDENT NO. SE1833, SE1834, SE1835, SE1836 ಗಳಿಗೆ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: **09.01.2024** ಹಾಗೂ ಪ್ರಿ ಬಿಡ್ ದಿನಾಂಕ: **06.01.2024 ಅಪರಾಹ್ನ 4.00 ಗಂಟೆ**. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರವನ್ನು ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

ಸಹಿ/- ಕಾರ್ಯಪಾಲಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು,
ಮಹಾನಗರಪಾಲಿಕೆ, ಮಂಗಳೂರು

DIPR/MNG/KSMCA/1025/23-24 dt.04.01.2024

GOVT. OF ODISHA
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER
RURAL WORKS, CIRCLE, BHAWANIPATNA
O-2101 ☎ 06670-235504/ E-mail: serwbpt@yahoo.com

Bid identification No.:. BPT/Online-45/2023-24 Date- 03.01.2024

NOTICE INVITING TENDERS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE WORKS IN ODISHA
NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING THROUGH e-Procurcrnent

1. Name of the Work : Construction of Badkharimal to Palsijharan via Tentulichuan Road in the district of Kalahandi under MMSY-Transferred Road Improvement programme (TRIP) for the year 2023-24.
2. No of Works : 01 No.
3. Location details : Kalahandi District
4. Estimated Cost : As per NIT.
5. Period of Completion : As per NIT.
6. Cost of tender paper : Rs.10,000/- per set.
7. Other details

Availability of tender for online bidding		Last date & time for seeking tender clarification	Date & time of opening of technical bid
From	To		
11.01.2024 11.00 A.M.	30.01.2024 5.00 P.M.	29.01.2024	31.01.2024 at 11.00 A.M.

Further details can be seen from the web site **"www.tendersorissa.gov.in"**

OIPR- 25102/11/0061/2324

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer,
Rural Works Circle, Bhawanipatna

GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

TOWN MUNICIPAL COUNCIL INDI

No.TMC/INDI/Mega Market/Phase-3/Tender/2023-24 Date : 21-12-2023

TENDER NOTIFIATION
(KPP Portal Only)

The Chief officer Town municipal Council Indi District Vijaypura invites,in two cover system tenders from eligible tenderers for Chief officer Town municipal Council Indi of Vijayapura District, using KW-4 Tender document from qualified Class–1 contractors for works as detailed below.

Sl. No	Name of Work
1	DMA/2023-24/BD/WORK_INDENT6414 Construction of Mega Market Phase-III at Municipal property syno.626/p-01 area 1a 6g, Balance work, Terrace floor, Compound Wall. Approach Road, Drain & Infrastructure work for Mega Market Indi TMC Vijayapur District **Tender Value : 627.97 Lakhs**

Interested eligible tenderers can download and participate through KPP Portal https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in **Tender Processing Fees can be remitted through KPP Portal only.**

For any information contact No. 08359-225025

E-Mail : itstaff_ulb_indi@yahoo.co.in

Calendar of Events :
1) Last date for submission and uploading of completed tender documents **20-01-2024,17.30 hrs.**
2) Opening of Technical Bid **22-01-2024, 11.30hrs**
3) Opening of Financial Bid **24-01-2024, 11.30 hrs.**

Sd/- **Chief Officer** TMC INDI
Sd/- **Administrative Officer** TMC INDI

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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd,** the constructive/ physical (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd.,** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on **25.01.2024,** for recovery of **Rs. 9,81,08,793.88 (Rupees Nine Crore Eighty One Lakhs Eight Thousand Seven Hundered Ninety Three and Paise Eighty Eight only)** due to **"The Karur Vysya Bank Ltd",** Secured Creditor from **(1) M/s. Blue Whale Machinery Technologies Pvt Ltd, Rep By: Mr. Deepak Dhirajlal Mehta (Director), Mrs. Rina Mehta (Director)** Having Registered Office at: No. 284, 2nd Floor, between 17th and 18th Cross, Sampige Road, Malleswaram, Bangalore-560003, **(2) Mr. Deepak Dhirajlal Mehta,** S/o. Dhirajlal Mehta and **(3) Mrs. Rina Mehta,** W/o. Mr. Deepak Dhirajlal Mehta both residing at B 103, "Pride Pavilion", 2/1, Service Road, 1st Stage, 6th Phase, West of Chord Road, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010. The reserve price will be **Rs.41,00,000/- (Rupees Fourty One lakhs only) and the earnest money deposit will be Rs. 4,10,000/- (Rupees Four Lakhs and Ten Thousand only).** The reserve price for Schedule B will be **Rs.36,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Six lakhs only)** and the earnest money deposit will be **Rs. 3,60,000/- (Rupees Three lakhs and Sixty Thousand only).**

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Schedule A : All that piece and parcel of the Commercial Unit situated at "S.J. Towers", portion of the Second Floor, Corporation No. 30/6-1, Mission Road, Corporation Division No. 73, Bangalore, measuring 756 sq feet with UDS of 148 sq feet bounded on: East By: Mr. Chunnilal's Property, West By: Mr. Arshiwala's Property, North By: Mr. Kanakasabhapathy's Property and South By: Mission Road.

Schedule B : All that piece and parcel of the vacant site carved out of the converted land in Sy No. 65 as detailed below: Khatha No. 1295/121/1, "E" Property No. 150200201100320237, measuring East to West: 12.19 meters and North to South: 13.84 meters, in all measuring 168.73 sq meters ,Lake Street Layout, Boyilahalli Village, Bagalur, Bengaluru-562149, bounded on: East By: Pathway, West By: 9 Meter Road, North By: 9 Meter Road and South By: Site No. 2.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in our Bank's/ Secured Creditor's website i.e **www.kvb.co.in/Property** Under Auction also at the web portal **BankAuctions.in/ForeclosureIndia.com** of the service provider, **M/s. 4 closure.**

Statutory 15 Days' Notice under Rule 9(1) of the SARFAESI Act, 2002

The borrower/s and guarantor/s are hereby notified to pay the dues as mentioned above along with up to date interest and ancillary expenses before the date of e-Auction, failing which the Schedule property will be auctioned/sold and balance dues, if any, will be recovered with interest and cost.

Date : 04.01.2024
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorized Officer
THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LIMITED

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform general public that my client Sri.Thamizharasan, Son of Sri.Thamodiran, residing at No:79/6, Ramapuram, Ramalai Post, Gudiyatham, Vellore – 632 601, is intending to purchase the schedule property from its owners i) Smt.Vijayalakshmi, wife of Sri.Channappa and ii) Sri.Channappa, son of Late Y C Kempanna, both residing at No:5/1, Fourth Shop Lane, Tata Silk Farm, Basavanagudi, Bangalore, - 560 004;

It is noticed that the Vendor Smt.Vijayalakshmi has obtained title to the schedule property under the registered Gift Deed dated 24-02-2000, the same having been executed by Sri.K Channappa by enforcing the terms of the General Power of Attorney dt:12-11-1988 executed by the earlier owner Sri.A Gurappa in favor of Sri.K Channappa. Any, person, having any objections / claims on the schedule property may lodge their objections or claims, in writing with all supporting documentary evidence by registered post with regard to such lawful claim with the undersigned within 07 (seven) days hereof, failing which my client will proceed to complete the registration formalities. Any claims lodged thereafter will not be entertained by my clients;

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Municipal No:43 (Old No:58/3A-43), situated at Fifth Main Road, Shakambarinagar, Bangalore, Corporation Ward No:179 together with residential structures measuring 600sq.ft. standing thereon and bounded on the :

East by : Road;
West by : Private Property;
North by : Gurumurthappa Farm;
South by : Private Property belonging to Smt.Jayamma;

MEASURING : East to West: 53ft..; North to South : 22ft.; In all ad measuring : 1,166 Sq.ft.;

Mr.Manju R, Advocate,
5/2-2, Shanthi Nivasa, 5th Main, 6th cross, Avalahalli, Bengaluru – 560026
Mob: 9620518672 Date:05-01-2024

IN THE COURT OF THE SENIOR CIVIL JUDGE AND JMFC AT ANEKAL

O.S. No. 873/2019

BETWEEN: Mrs. Sandhya Anthraper Kurishingal ...Plaintiff
AND : Mr. Vinod Vijaykumar and Others ...Defendants

NOTICES / SUMMONS UNDER ORDER V RULE 20 (1-A) OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, 1908 TO DEFENDANT No.2

Defendant No.1 : Mr. Vinod Vijaykumar, (erstwhile Partner of M/s Windsor Wings Developers), Residing at 44A Aspern Grove, London NW32BX

Defendant No.2 : Mrs. Manju Kathuria, (erstwhile Partner of M/s Windsor Wings Developers), W/o Mr. Virendra Kathuria, Sompur Gate, Sarjapur Road, Bengaluru - 562 125.

Defendant No.5 : Mr. M. Shivananda (Partner), M/s Fortune Projects, The Fortune Group, #67 Queens Road, Tasker Town, Bengaluru - 560 051

Defendant No.6 : Mr. D.V. Bhuvanesh (Partner), M/s Fortune Projects, The Fortune Group, #67 Queens Road, Tasker Town, Bengaluru - 560 051.

Defendant No.37 : Haritha Chandaluri, W/o Mr. Satyanarayana Gupta Chandaluri, Residing at House No. 1-3-220, Near 4 Electric Poles, Vidyadhara Puram, Vijayawada-12, Andhra Pradesh.

Defendant No.38 : Mr. Jemil Cheriyan, S/o Mr. C Cheriyan, Residing at No.203, Brigade Vista, Gowdanapalya, Uttarahalli Road, BSK-III Bengaluru - 560 061.

Defendant No.39 : Mrs. Anupa Thomas, W/o Mr. Jemil Cheriyan, Residing at No.203, Brigade Vista, Gowdanapalya, Uttarahalli Road, BSK-III Bengaluru - 560 061.

Defendant No.40 : Mr. Dharmendra Kumar, S/o Mr. Narayan Rajan Kumar, Flat No. 623B, Ranka Colony, Bannerghatta Road, Bilekahalli, Bengaluru - 560 076.

Defendant No.41 : Mr. Shivprashant Sood , S/o Mr. Sh. Gopal Sood, No. 56, 7th B Cross, 4th B Block, Koramangala, Bengaluru - 560034.

Whereas the above named Plaintiff has filed the above suit against you for Partition and securing mense profits and other reliefs in respect of the Schedule 'A' Property before the II Additional Senior Civil Judge & JMFC at Anekal in O.S. No. 873/2019. The above case is posted for your appearance.

You are hereby summoned to appear in person or through an advocate / pleader before this Hon'ble Court **on the 07th day of February 2024 at 11 a.m.** to answer the case made out as against you. Failing which the above case will be heard and determined as ex-parte.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of converted land being portion of land bearing Sy. No. 24/1 measuring 8 guntas, Sy. No. 24/4 measuring 2 acres 30 guntas and Sy. No. 29 measuring 4 acres 10 guntas all situated at Gopasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, and bounded as follow:

East by : Land belonging to Lakshmaiah Reddy
West by : Land belonging to Narayana Reddy
North by : Land belonging to Chikkapullappa
South by : Land belonging to Rajappa

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of contiguous converted lands including Schedule 'A' Property measuring an extent of 50 acres all situated at Gopasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on the 3rd day of January 2024 at Anekal.

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, Senior Civil Judge & JMFC at Anekal.

Mr. Ajesh Kumar Shankar, Advocate
Having office at 301, Sunrise Chambers #22, Ulsoor Road, Bengaluru - 560042.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to the information of the General public that Smt. Venkatamma, aged about 73 years, W/o Sri Krishnappa R/at No. 306, 3rd Cross, Jakkasandra Ban -34, Aadhaar No. 4293 1803 2889, has lost the WILL dated 17/06/1989.

A Complaint in this behalf has also lodged on 02/01/2024 at Madiwala police station, Bangalore.

If any person/s or any institution that by chance get possession of such document may kindly return the same to the undersigned within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice and also even if any person/s having any right, title, claim or interest over the schedule property, the same should be intimated to the undersigned with in 15 days from today with documents in support thereof.

M. MUNE GOWDA
Advocate and Consultant
No. 64/1, 2nd Floor S.M. Plaza, Dr. D.V.G. Road Basavanagudi, Bangalore - 04.
Mob: 9342878205

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **M/s. ANJAN CITICON PRIVATE LIMITED,** A Private Company Limited Incorporated, under the Companies Act., having their office at No.P1, Anjan Blossom,Varansai Main road, T.C.Palya, Bangalore-560 016. Represented by its Managing Director **Mr. N. SUDHEER KUMAR,** is intending to purchase the Schedule property from its owner, **Smt. P.V. VEENA,** aged about 40 years, D/o. Sri. P.O. VIJAYA REDDY, alias VIJAY KUMAR REDDY, W/o SRI. M.MANJUNATH, Residing at. No.291/1, 6TH Main, Kaggadasapura, C.V Raman Nagar Post, Bangalore 560093, for Valuable Consideration. Any persons having any rights/claims/ objections/Minor Claims, in respect of the schedule property are hereby requested to send their objections to the above mentioned address within 7 days, from the receipt of the this public notice. If no objections are forth coming within 7 days, my clients shall get executed sale deed in his favour.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing vacant SITE No. 31, in Property No. 77/3, Katha No.93. Situated at Margonadanahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore east Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West on the Northern side 88 feet and on the Southern Side 79 feet and North to South 50 feet in all measuring 4175 Sq feet And bounded on:-

East by : 25 Feet Road
West by : Private layout
North by : Private property
South by : Site No. 32

Mr. Manjunath Reddy, B.A., LLB.,
Smt. T. Shobha Reddy, B.Sc., LLB.,
No. 8/7, Mega City BEML Layout Road, Maragondanahalli Main Road,K.R. Puram Post, Bangalore-36. Ph:- 9845520830, 9663885875, 9066142029.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that my clients intend to purchase the properties which are more fully mentioned in the schedule, hereunder and referred to as **Schedule properties (Item No.1 & 2),** from its lawful owners, Mr. P.B. KARTHIK, S/o Sri. P.R. Bhaskar, No. 88/17, Shivaramankanth Road, Chikkallasandra, Bangalore-560 061 and Mr. P.R. Balaji, S/o P.V. Radhakrishna Gupta No. 88/17, Shivaramankanth Road, Chikkallasandra, Bangalore-560 061.

It is informed to the general public that whosoever having any rights, claims, interest over the schedule property and the persons likely to be affected by the said transaction , may file their objections to the undersigned along with the documentary proof, if any against their claims within 07 (Seven) days, from this date. If no valid objections are received within the stipulated time, it shall be presumed that there are no claims of whatsoever nature and my client will proceed to purchase the schedule property on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature from any one in any manner.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

Item No. 1: All the piece and parcel of the Eastern portion of the residential site No. 102, situated within the layout named "HARA FRESH FIELDS" and comprising in the properties in survey No. 7/4, 7/11, 7/12, 8/1 & 25(25/6), measuring in all 12 acres 35 guntas in Manavarthekaval village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, bangalore measuring East to West 31 feet and North to South 100 feet, in all admeasuring 3100 square feet and bounded on the **East by:** Park, **West by:** Remaining Western portion of site No. 102, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Private layout.

Item No. 2; All the piece and parcel of the Western portion of the residential site No. 102, situated within the layout named "HARA FRESH FIELDS" and comprising in the properties in survey No. 7/4, 7/11, 7/12, 8/1 & 25(25/6), measuring in all 12 acres 35 guntas in Manavarthekaval village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West 31 feet and North to South 100 feet, in all admeasuring 3100 square feet and bounded on the East by: Remaining Eastern portion of site No. 102, **West by:** Site No. 103, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Private Layout.

V.SUBASH REDDY & Associates
Advocates
No.208, 2nd Floor, Kurubara sangha Building, South Block, Gandhinagar, Bangalore-560009.
E-mail:-subashslnreddy@yahoo.com
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Kagithapuram - 639 136. Karur Dist. Tamil Nadu.
Ph.: 04324-277001 (10 Lines). E-Mail : purchase.inst@tnpl.co.in

NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Tender No.	Material Description	Due date
232413 006241	Procurement of Oracle HR, Self-Service HR & Payroll Licenses and its Annual Technical Support	19.01.2024

Corrigendum if any will be issued in TNPL Website & NIC Portal only. Detailed Terms & conditions are available in tender document at our websites: **www.tnpl.com / www.tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app**

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(1) 77672.

Note : For more details, log on to website **https://mahatenders.gov.in**

PRO/AAM(M)/124/2023 **GENERAL MANAGER**

PUBLIC NOTICE

General Public are hereby informed that, our client has proposed to purchase the Schedule property from its present owner **SRI.A.SHIVAKUMAR** Person/s, Financial Institution/s, Bank objecting for the proposed purchase or having any right, share, title and interest in the Schedule property may lodge their objections/claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence within **2 weeks** from this day of publication and any objection/claims received thereafter will not be binding on our client and our client will proceed to purchase the below mentioned Schedule property as if there are no claims/objections.

-:SCHEDULE PROPERTY:-

All that piece and parcel of an immovable property bearing **Survey No.74/4** measuring 0.06 Guntas, situated at **Thoka Thimmanadoddi, near Raavogodlu, Kanakapura Main Road, Vaderahalli Village, Harohalli Hobli, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District** and bounded on **East by: Property belongs to Sri.Ravindra, West by: Property belongs to Sri.Basavanna, North by: Property belongs to Sri.Krishnappa, South by: Government Road and Property belongs to Sri.Ravindra.**

V.S.Rai & Associates, LAW FIRM
No.23,"Venkatadri" 6th Main,
5th Cross, S.R.Nagar, Bangalore-27.
Mob:98441 55041, 9620579310

IN THE COURT OF THE XXXVIIth ADDITIONAL CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS JUDGE(CCH-38) AT BENGALURU,

Execution Petition No.771 / 2023 In: Mise No. 1075/2000.

BETWEEN:

M/s. Karnataka State Financial Corporation, Bengaluru Rural Branch, (previously Rajajinagar Branch), No.197, 1st Floor, West of Chord Road, Bengaluru-560086. Represented by: Asst. General Manager. **...Decree holder**

AND:

M/s. Gyaneshwara Polymers Pvt Ltd & others, Bengaluru-560058. **...Judgment debtors**

NOTICE TO JUDGMENT DEBTORS No.01 to 03 UNDER ORDER V, (1-4) RULE 20 OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, 1908

1) M/s. Gyaneshwara Polymers Pvt Ltd, Registered Office at: A-354, 2nd Stage, Peenya Industrial Estate, Bengaluru-560058.

2) Sri Lakshmana Rao Kadam, S/o. Hemoji Rao Kadam, Aged about 63 years, No. 168, 2nd Stage, 2nd Phase, 5th Main Road, Mahalakshmi Layout, Bengaluru-560086.

3) Smt. Leelavathi Kadam W/o. Sri Lakshmana Rao Kadam, Aged about 48 years, No. 168, 2nd Stage, 2nd Phase, 5th Main Road, Mahalakshmi Layout, Bengaluru-560 086.

Whereas the Decree holder Corporation has filed the above execution petition against the Judgment debtors for recovery of **Rs.35,46,238-60** (Rupees Thirty Five Lakhs Forty Six Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty Eight Only) as on **13-02-2015** with future interest at 20 per cent from the date of the petition till its realization to the Decree holder Corporation and attachment of moveable and immoveable properties standing in the names of Judgment debtors. Notices issued to the above Judgment debtors are returned unserved. It is necessary that the above Judgment debtors have to appear before this Hon'ble Court in the above case.

You are hereby summoned to appear before this Court on **23-01-2024 at 11.00 am** in person or through your Advocates/Pleaders and submit your objections on the amended main execution petition. Failing which the matter will be heard and determined as ex-parte.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on this **20th December, 2023** at Bengaluru.

By order of the Court
Sd/-
Asst. Registrar,
City Civil & Sessions Judge, Bangalore

Advocate for Decree holder:
Dr.T. Somashekar,
Prajwal Law Associates,
Advocates & Legal Consultants,
No.04, 2nd Main, 3rd Cross, Gandhinagar, Bengaluru-560009.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client **Sri. Purushothama K. M.** s/o Sri. M. Manchaiah, NO. 1115, 7th Block, Sir. M. Vishveshwaraiah layout, Bengaluru North, Vishwaneedam post, Bengaluru-560091 intend to purchase a site bearing No. 2110, (formed in Sy No. 119 of Kommaghatta village) 5th Block, "F" Sector, Nadaprabhu Kempegowda Layout, measuring East to West 12.00 metres and North to South 9.00 totally 108 square metres bounded on East by Road, West by Site No. 2228, North by site NO. 2109, and south by site No. 2111 from Shashikumar R S/o Sri. Rajanna R/at No. 145, Hosabyrohalli village, Sulikere post, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru-560060. The above mentioned person is the absolute owners in possession of the schedule property. If anybody has any right, title, interest over the of whatsoever nature over the property mentioned above shall file objections with documentary evidence in support of his/her/their claims within seven days from the date of this notice. In the event no such claim(s) is received **within 7 days,** it shall be presumed that no such valid claims adverse to the rights, title, and interest in the said property and proceeds with the proposed sale transactions.

Address to file objections;
Thimmanna, Advocate,
No.06, 1st Floor, Samrudhi Complex, Ullala Main Road, Muneshwaranagar, Bangalore- 560056. Contact mobile No.9448240501, Thimmanna10@gmail.com

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PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that, I the undersigned Nagaraju, son of Sri.R.Muniswamy along with my other family members have sold property bearing Site No.33, BBMP Katha No.292/292/259/367 measuring East to West 45 feet and North to South 30 feet in all measuring 1350 square feet situated at Hulimavu Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, presently comes with in the limits of BBMP, and the same is bounded on, East by : Road, West by : Property belonging to Sri.Ravi, North by : Property belonging to Sri.Narayanappa and South by: Property belonging to Arekereyappa, to Sri.Ashok.M., son of late Munivenkatappa under the registered Sale deed dated 07-04-2021,registered as document No.BGR-1-00104-2021-22 stored in C.D.No.BGRD892,in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Begur and at the time of execution of the sale deed we have not handed over the original Gift deed dated 11-12-2014,registered as document No.BGR-1-06070-2014-15 stored in C.D.No.BGRD255 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Begur, Bangalore, executed by Sri.Rajappa, son of late Muniswamappa in favour of Smt.Savitha, wife of Sri.Nagaraju and original Gift deed dated 27-12-2014 which has been registered as document No.BGR-106311-2014-15 stored in C.D.No.BGRD256,in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Begur, Bangalore, executed by Smt.Savitha, in favour of Sri.Nagaraju.Prior to registration of the sale deed, we have not given any public notice with regard to loss of documents. Hence, we hereby informs the general public that we have lost the above referred two original gift deeds prior to execution of sale deed dated 7-4-2021 in favour of Sri.Ashok.M.,and if anybody come across/found the same, request them to hand over the same to Sri.Ashok.M who is the present owner or inform him over his Mobile No.9980104528 and they will be honoured suitably. In case if the same is traced, I request the general public to not to mis-use the same under any circumstances and if anybody mis-uses the same or creates any sort of encumbrances, severe action will be initiated against them through due process of law.

NAGARAJU S/o.R.Muniswamy,
No.367, Janatha Colony, Hulimavu,
B.G.Road, Bangalore

Bangalore, Date: 4-1-2024

IN THE COURT OF THE V ADDITIONAL FAMILY JUDGE AT BANGALORE

G & W.C. NO. 355/2022

BETWEEN: Nitu Marina Cherian & Another **...Petitioner**
AND: Thomas Varghese **...Respondent**

NOTICE TO THE RESPONDENT

To:Thomas Varghese S/o late. Major M Varghese, Aged about 46 years, Residing at No.321, Fauji Farm Opp: Decathlone Sarjapura Road Carmeleram Bengaluru - 560 035

Whereas, the above named petitioner has filed the above petition Under Section 25(2) of the GUARDIANS AND WARDS ACT against the respondent for the custody of child and such other relief. You are hereby summoned to appear in person or through a pleader duly instructed before V additional Judge Family court, Bengaluru.

Take notice that in default of your appear appearance. On the **15th DAY. OF FEBRUARY 2024 at 11.00A.M.** The petition will be heard and determined in your absence ,placing you as ex- parte.

Issued under my hand and seal of this Court on this 1st day of Dec 2023.

BY ORDER OF THE COURT
Sd/- Senior Sheristedar
Family Court , Bengaluru

Advocate for Petitioner
Feba Nisha Advocate
No.20/1, 2nd Floor, 9th B main HRBR 1st block Banasawadi Bengaluru - 560 043

FORM NO.3
[See Regulation-15(1)(a)]

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I AT BENGALURU

BSNL Building, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru - 560001.

O.A. No.: 910/2022

BETWEEN :
The Federal Bank Ltd, ... Applicant
Vs.
Mrs. Srilakshmi Prabhakar ......Defendant

SUMMONS/NOTICE TO DEFENDANT UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES OF 1993 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

To,
Mrs. Srilakshmi Prabhakar
Aged about : 40 years
W/o Nagendra
R/at: No.253, 3rd Cross, 9th Main, Narasipur Layout, Bangalore - 560097.

Notice

Whereas, the applicant has instituted an application Under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Bankruptcy Act, 1993 against the defendants for recovery of **a Sum of Rs.23,01,630/-** (Rs. Twenty Three Lakhs One Thousand Six Hundred and thirty Only) together with current and future interest and for other reliefs.

Take notice that you are hereby required to appear before this Hon'ble Tribunal to show causes on **12.04.2024** at 10.30 am in person or by a pleader / Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted. The notice of interim relief sought.

Take notice that in case of default the application/interlocutory application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this **29th day of November 2023.**

By Order of the Tribunal

Sd/- The REGISTRAR-1
Debts Recovery Tribunal
Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

REVOCATION OF GENERAL POWER OF ATTORNEY

TO ALL PERSONS, let it be known that my Client **Smt. R.Bharathi** w/o S.Ravichandran, aged about 51 years, R/o Near Shankar Nursing home, Balaji Nagara, Sira Town-572137, Tumkur Dist, Karnataka state, do hereby REVOKE IN ITS ENTIRETY that certain General Power of Attorney dated 10.10.2017, which is duly Notarized on 11.10.2017. thereby appointed **Sri. Mohammad Farook** s/o Maqbul, Aadhaar No. 8133 7885 8270, aged about 60 years, Residing at House No. 11, 5th Cross, Ganesha Block, Dinnur Main road, RT Nagara, Bangalore 560032, Now R/at Building No 183, 2nd floor, 9th cross, 6th Main, HMT lay out, (Near Poornima Hospital), RT Nagar, Bangalore-32, as her Attorney-in- Fact to do mining activities Gajjigarahalli village, Kasaba Hobli, Sira Taluk, Tumkur Dist,

This revocation of General Power of Attorney shall be conclusively for all purpose, from the date of execution as set forth below. That my client Smt. R.Bharathi, for good cause do hereby revoke, cancel and make void the General Power of Attorney therein given and contained, for all matters granted to such Attorney-in-fact through "Deed of revocation of General power of attorney" dated 03.01.2024 duly Notarised before Notary public. Nothing herein shall affect any actions taken by my Attorney-in-Fact prior to and after this notice for revocation of General Power of Attorney. Notice of this revocation of General Power of Attorney shall be binding on every person or entity to which a copy of this revocation of General Power of Attorney has been given. A copy of this revocation of General Power of Attorney shall be effective as an original of all purpose. This Revocation of General Power of Attorney may be served via post/ personal delivery/ mail facsimile transmission or other electronic transmission, and shall be effective regardless in the manner in which same is received. That my client absolves from liability of any person who acts in accordance with this Revocation of Power of Attorney. This Revocation of General Power of Attorney is executed on this **3rd day of January 2024** before the Notary public, Sira, Tumkur Dist.

G.S. Shashidhara BSc, LLB,
Advocate, KAR. 194/99
Khalid Layout, Kuvempu Nagara,
Sira Town, Tumkur Dist. SIRA-572137

CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER, ODISHA
HOME (ELECTIONS) DEPARTMENT
No. EC-CON-COE-0065-2023/153/ Elec. Dated 04.01.2024

NOTICE INVITING e-TENDER

D-198: e-Tenders are invited from reputed firms having experience of manufacturing, printing and supply of corrugated plastic/flex sheets, having capacity and capabilities to supply required number of Voting Compartments with prescribed specifications within the stipulated time for use in Simultaneous General Elections-2024 in the State of Odisha. Details of e-Tender Call Notice can be read and downloaded from the official website of e-procurement portal of Government of Odisha namely (https://tendersodisha.gov.in). However, this also can be viewed from Department website https://ceoodisha.nic.in and Govt. of Odisha website https://odisha.gov.in

Office of the Chief Electoral Officer,
Unit-5, Behind Lok Seva Bhavan,
Bhubaneswar-751001, Odisha.

OIPR- 12113/11/0021/2324

PUBLIC (ELECTIONS-II) DEPARTMENT
SECRETARIAT, CHENNAI-600 009.

Tender Ref. No.1/2024

TENDER NOTIFICATION

e-Tenders are invited from reputed Companies / Agencies for Live Webcasting on the day of Polling and Recording on the day of Counting for the General Elections to Lok Sabha, 2024 for a period of one (1) year as per the guidelines/instructions of the Election Commission of India, in the state of Tamil Nadu. The details can be seen in the tender document which can be downloaded free of cost from the websites **https://tntenders.gov.in** and **https://elections.tn.gov.in**

1. Queries from the Companies/Agencies should be raised in the website **https://tntenders.gov.in** up to 05:00 P.M. on 22.01.2024. The reply to the queries of the Companies/Agencies shall be uploaded by this Department by 05:00 P.M on 24.01.2024 in the website **https://tntenders.gov.in**.
2. The last date for submission of tenders through **https://tntenders.gov.in** – up to 3.00 P.M. on 02.02.2024.
3. Technical Bids Opening to ascertain the Number of bids received – 3:30 P.M. on 02.02.2024.
4. Detailed Technical Evaluation by the Tender Evaluation Committee – will be decided later.
5. Financial Bid Opening - Those bidders who have Technically qualified will be informed.
6. Earnest Money Deposit (EMD):- Rs.30,00,000/- by online module through **https://tntenders.gov.in**.
   For contact: 044 – 25665327

Additional Chief Electoral Officer &
Additional Secretary to Government

DIPR/55/Tender/2024

Government of Odisha
Office of the Chief Construction Engineer,
Rural Works Circle, Angul
E-Mail - sencrwangul@yahoo.co.in, Ph: 06764 - 236404

0-2088

e-Procurement Notice for Bridge works in Odisha
Bid Identification No. Bridge Online AGL- 38/2023-24

No.16 // Dt. 21/01/2024

1. Name of the work : Bridge works
2. Total No. of work : 03 Nos.
3. Estimated cost : Rs.155.72 Lakhs to Rs.242.39 Lakhs
4. Class of Contractor : 'B' & 'A' Class
5. Period of completion : As per Annexure
6. Other details :

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of Tender on-line for bidding		Last Date & Time of seeking tender clarification	Date & time of opening of tender	
		From	To		Technical Bid	Financial Bid
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Angul	Bridge Online-AGL-38/2023-24	08.01.24 at 10.00 A.M	20.01.24 up to 4.00 P.M	18.01.24 up to 1.00 P.M	20.01.2024 at 4.30 P.M	Will be intimated separately

(1) For detailed Notice inviting Tenders, Please visit to the website www.tendersorissa.gov.in

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Angul OIPR-25180/11/0057/2324

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MARKET			GOLD			SILVER			FOREX		
490.97	Sensex	71,847.57	₹440	24 carat (10 gm)	₹63,530	₹2,000	1 kg	₹76,600	Dollar	83.24
141.25	Nifty	21,658.60	₹400	22 carat (10 gm)	₹58,250	₹20	10 gm	₹766	Euro	91.17

Citizens asked to report threat calls from overseas no

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

DoT advises citizens to beware of malicious incoming calls from international numbers claiming to cause disruption in India's stock exchanges and trading. Such calls are initiated by anti-national elements aimed at creating panic. It directed telecom service providers to block malicious calls from such numbers

Telecom Department

THE Department of Telecommunication (DoT) on Thursday advised people not to panic on calls from international numbers threatening to disrupt stock exchanges and trading in the country.

It asked citizens if anyone gets any such call should immediately report it to DoT on its Sancharsaathi portal or their telecom service providers. The department also directed all the telecom service providers such as Bharti Airtel, Vodafone Idea and Reliance Jio to block malicious calls from such numbers.

"The Department of Telecommunications (DoT) advises citizens to beware of malicious incoming calls from international numbers claiming to cause disruption in India's stock exchanges and trading. Such malicious calls are initiated by anti-national elements aimed at creating panic. The DoT has directed all the telecom service providers to block malicious calls from such numbers," said DoT in a press note.

Of late, many people reported getting calls from international numbers asking them to sell their shares before March 12, 2024. These callers are also threatening people of impending destruction of India's stock exchange. It all began when Khalistani terrorist Gurpatwant Singh Pannun asked his followers to target the BSE and the NSE on the anniversary of the 1993 Mumbai blasts. Pannun said he was targeting India's stock exchange to destroy India's economic system.

According to a report, DoT also has asked the Ministry of Finance and the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) to take measures to increase the cybersecurity at the BSE and the NSE.Pannun is a designated "individual terrorist" under the UAPA. He and his organisation Sikh for Justice are banned in India under the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act (UAPA).

'No expansion of PLI scheme to new sectors'

Official says govt will ensure existing schemes get implemented well, thereafter Centre will condider expansion

MONIKA YADAV @ New Delhi

THE government is focusing on the existing production-linked incentive (PLI) schemes for the 14 sectors and for the time being it has no plans to expand them to new sectors such as toys.

According to the Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), Secretary, Rajesh Kumar Singh, PLI schemes for sectors including pharmaceuticals, white goods, and electronics are progressing well and currently demand their full attention.

"Currently, we are focusing on the 14 production-linked incentive schemes, which are up and running in a good way. So for the time being, the new PLIs are not being considered," Singh said while further adding that the government will ensure that these existing schemes get implemented well and thereafter it will see.

The government had previously intended to extend the production-linked incentive scheme to new sectors such as leather, toys, and new-age e-bikes in order to utilize the remaining budget allocated for the 14 sectors.

Introduced in 2021, the PLI scheme encompassed 14 sectors, including telecommunications, white goods, textiles, medical devices manufacturing, automobiles, specialty steel, food products, high-efficiency solar PV modules, advanced chemistry cell batteries, drones, and pharmaceuticals, with a budget of ₹1.97 lakh crore.

Singh also revealed that the DPIIT has commissioned a third-party assessment of the PLI scheme focused on white goods, specifically air conditioners and LED lights. The study, assigned to the Arun Jaitley National Institute of Financial Management (AJNIFM), will evaluate the scheme from various perspectives and determine if any adjustments or modifications are necessary. Furthermore, the department plans twill conduct similar assessments for other initiatives, including industrial corridors.

Meanwhile, a recent case study conducted by the Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Lucknow, under the supervision of the department revealed a significant progress in the toys sector during the financial year 2022-23, compared to FY 2014-15.

Notably, the analysis showcased a remarkable decline of 52% in toy imports, coupled with an impressive increase of 239% in toy exports during the mentioned period. Furthermore, the study identified an overall enhancement in the quality of toys available in the domestic market.

Over a span of six years, from 2014 to 2020, the government measures resulted in a doubling of toy manufacturing units, a reduction in dependence on imported inputs from 33% to 12%, and a significant increase in gross sales value with a compound annual growth rate (CAGR) of 10%.

Manufacturing incentive plan

PLI schemes for sectors including pharma, white goods, and electronics are progressing well, according to govt official

Govt focusing on 14 production linked incentive schemes, which are up and running, says DPIIT secretary Rajesh Kumar Singh

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RBI asks credit bureaus to improve data quality

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has asked credit information companies (CICs) or credit bureaus to improve data quality and timely redressal of customer complaints.

In a meeting with the heads of CICs, deputy RBI governor Swaminathan J on Thursday told the CICs that there is a rise in customer complaints related to credit information and some concerns have emerged during RBI's supervisory assessment.

The deputy governor highlighted six key areas for the CICs to focus on. They include the need to improve the data quality, timely redressal of customer complaints and streamlining the process for handling data correction requests. The deputy governor also told the credit bureaus to strengthen the internal ombudsman framework, cybersecurity and data privacy mechanism through robust information security governance framework and address concerns arising out of usage of data for consulting, analytics, etc.

The credit bureaus shared their feedback and highlighted the initiatives that are being taken in collaborating with the credit institutions (CIs) for enhancing data quality.

The meeting was chaired by Deputy Governor Swaminathan J and was attended by the executive directors and other senior officials of the Department of Supervision and Department of Regulation, RBI.

RBI in October last year had instructed credit bureaus to provide easy access to full credit report including credit score to individuals whose credit history is available once every year free of cost. The regulator had asked the CICs to make available the credit report by displaying the link prominently on the home page of their website so that individuals are able to access their credit report conveniently.

The Reserve Bank of India (RBI) has instructed banks and financial institutions to inform customers whenever they submit information to credit bureaus about default or delays in payment of loans. The banking regulator has asked the credit bureaus to alert the customers when their credit reports are accessed by a third party.

PRE-BUDGET

Health ministry asks for ₹1.10L cr from FinMin

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE Ministry of Health, Family and Welfare (MoHFW) will likely to seek nearly ₹1,10,000 crore from the Ministry of Finance in the upcoming Union Budget 2024-25 to be presented on February 1, as per sources.

The funds will be used for various schemes under the ministry including National Health Mission, Ayushman Bharat Health Infrastructure Mission, Ayushman Bharat- Pradhan Mantri Jan Aarogaya Scheme, establishment expenditure of 22 new AIIMS hospitals in various states, among others.

For the current fiscal, a total expenditure of ₹1.04 lakh crore was allocated in last budget, of which ₹6,385 crore was provided for construction of new AIIMS hospitals country.

In FY23, revised estimates of expenditure stood at ₹1.04 lakh crore. As per sources, for FY25, the ministry has sought ₹10,000 crore to build new AIIMS, which are at various stages of completion. Nearly ₹25,000 crore will be used for National Health Mission and ₹10,000 crore will be utilised for running autonomous bodies including AIIMS, Jawaharlal Institute of PostGraduate Medical Education and Research, Puducherry , among others.

EXPRESS READ

Chennai-based Medway Hospitals raises $5 mn

CHENNAI: Chennai-based healthcare network Medway Hospitals has raised $5 million funding led by Kyra Ventures with participation from family offices. This is the first round of institutional equity funding. Nova Capital Advisors acted as advisors to the transaction. The multi-speciality hospital chain is currently operating eight hospitals in TamilNadu and Andhra Pradesh with a total of 500 bed capacity. *ENS*

VIL to seek reversal of ₹10.7 cr CGST penalty

NEW DELHI: Vodafone Idea on Thursday said it has received an order under the Central Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017, entailing a penalty of ₹10.76 crore. The troubled telco said it will seek rectification and reversal of the order, as it doesn't agree with it. Citing details it said the order was received by the company under the Central Goods and Services Tax Act, 2017, entailing a penalty of ₹10,76,56,733. The order was received on January 3, 2024. *ENS*

Fintech sector funding falls 63% to $2 bn in 2023 from $5.4 bn a yr ago

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

FUNDING in the Indian fintech sector has been experiencing a downward trend as the sector received only $2 billion funding in 2023, a fall of 63% and 76% compared to $5.4 billion raised in 2022 and $8.4 billion in 2021.

According to Tracxn's India Fintech Report 2023, late-stage rounds in 2023 secured $1.4 billion in funding, a 56% drop compared to $3.2 billion raised in 2022. Early-stage rounds faced a similar trend, with funding plummeting to $489 million, a 73% decline from the $1.8 billion raised in 2022. Seed-stage rounds too witnessed downward trajectory, as it secured $145 million, a 69% drop compared to $474 million raised in the preceding year.

Despite the challenges posed by factors including increasing borrowing costs and macroeconomic conditions, according to the report, India ranked third globally in 2023 in terms of fintech start-up funding.

Alternative lending, payments and Bankingtech were the top-performing segments in the fintech sector, as alternative lending received funding of $835 million in 2023, down from $2.28 billion in 2022. The BNPL segment saw significant growth due to its adoption within the country.

The year witnessed five funding rounds surpassing the $100 million mark, and there were 31 acquisitions, similar to the previous year. Two companies- Zaggle and Veefin- announced IPOs in 2023, compared to five companies that went public in 2022. Bengaluru emerged as the leader in total fintech funding raised in 2023, followed by Mumbai and Jaipur.

Neha Singh, co-founder, Tracxn, said, "Despite a 63% decline, the fintech sector stands strong as the third-highest funded ecosystem globally, affirming its position as a hub of innovation." Meanwhile, nasscom in collaboration with Zinnov released the Indian tech start-up ecosystem report on Thursday. The report said over 950 tech start-ups were founded in 2023. The cumulative funding for tech start-ups from 2019 to 2023 has exceeded $70 billion. Despite the news on layoffs dominating the start-up sector in 2023, as per the survey of over 100 start-up founders, over 65% of them have done moderate hiring in 2023. Investments in DeepTech will continue an upward trend in 2024.

Grasim to issue 2.2 crore rights shares at ₹1,812

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

GRASIM INDUSTRIES, the flagship company of the Aditya Birla Group, will issue 2.2 crore rights shares at ₹1,812 a piece to raise around ₹4,000 crore.

In an exchange filing, Aditya Birla Group said each rights share will have a face value of ₹2 and eligible equity shareholders would be able to subscribe to the issue at a premium of ₹1,810 for each share. The eligible shareholders will be allotted 6 rights issues for every 179 fully-paid equity shares of the company. The issue opens on January 17 and closes on January 29. After the issuance, the outstanding shares of the company would be 68.06 crore. The board of directors of Grasim Industries had on October 16 approved the raising of ₹4,000 crore through rights issue.

Rights shares are issued to existing shareholders at a discount. Share of Grasim Industries on Thursday closed at ₹2,063 per share. Grasim is a leading global player in viscose staple fiber (VSF) and a prominent producer of Chlor-Alkali, advanced material, linen yarn and fabrics in India. Grasim has also ventured into the paints business and has set up a B2B online market place for building materials. It is the largest cement producer and a diversified financial services player in India via its subsidiaries UltraTech Cement and Aditya Birla Capital.

"Company has raised debt to part fund on-going capital expenditure plan and the funds raised by the issue will be largely used towards growth capex. The capital outlay for the company to establish itself as India's second-largest decorative paints player is on track," the company had earlier said while announcing the ₹4,000 crore rights issue.

Relief for air passengers as IndiGo waives fuel charge on ATF price fall

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

IN a major relief for air passengers, country's largest carrier IndiGo has removed fuel charges applicable on its domestic and international routes, effective January 4, 2024.

The fuel charge, ranging up to ₹1,000 per flight, was introduced in October 2023, following a sharp surge in aviation turbine fuel (ATF) prices.

With the recent reduction in ATF prices, IndiGo is withdrawing the charge. "As ATF prices are dynamic, we will continue to adjust our fares and components thereof, to respond to any change in prices or market conditions. IndiGo remains committed to its promise of providing of affordable, on-time, courteous, and hassle-free travel for our customers," the airline said in a statement on Thursday.

Jet fuel or ATF price was cut for the third consecutive month on January 1st. The ATF prices were slashed by ₹4,162.5, or 3.9% on 1 January 2024 in Delhi to ₹101,993.17 per kl, according to price notifications of oil marketing companies. ATF prices were earlier sliced by 6% (₹6,854.25 per kl) in November and by ₹5,189.25, or 4.6%, in December.

On October 5, IndiGo had introduced a fuel charge of up to Rs 1,000 on domestic and international routes. Under this pricing structure, passengers booking IndiGo flights will incur a fuel charge, per sector, based on the sector distance. IndiGo was charging extra ₹300 for distances up to 500 km, ₹400 for 501-1,000 km, ₹550 for 1,001-1,500 km, ₹650 for 1,501-2,500 km, ₹800 for 2,501-3,500 km, and ₹1,000 for over 3,500 km.

DGCA issues show cause notices to AI, SpiceJet

NEW DELHI: DGCA has issued show cause notices to Air India and SpiceJet for not deploying pilots trained to operate in low visibility conditions, following diversions of flights amid dense fog at the Delhi airport in late December. During December 25-28 last year, flight operations were impacted at Delhi airport

Invesco raises Swiggy valuation to $8.3 billion

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

ASSET management company Invesco has marked up Swiggy's valuation to $8.3 billion. This is the second time Swiggy's valuation has been raised in recent times.

As per regulatory filings, the value of Invesco's 28,844 shares in Swiggy were worth $147.63 million. As per Tracxn report, Invesco holds 2% stake in Swiggy. The increase in valuation comes at a time when Swiggy is planning for an initial public offering. A few months ago, Baron Capital slashed the food delivery firm's valuation by 34% to $7.3 billion, and in October, Invesco marked up the valuation of Swiggy from $5.5 billion to $7.85 billion

In 2022, Swiggy raised $700 million in a funding led by Invesco, and it turned a decacorn as valuation crossed over $10.7 billion. Swiggy turned profitable as of March 2023.

Nifty realty index surges another 7% on improving business prospects

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

AFTER gaining more than 80% in 2023, the highest for any sectoral index, the Nifty Realty Index surged 7% on Thursday as shares of index heavyweights-Sobha, Microtech Developers (Lodha), Godrej Properties, DLF and Brigade Enterprises-jumped between 6% to 16% on improving business prospects and buy call from brokerages.

Market analysts have attributed strong buying in reality stocks to expected interest rate cuts by banks in coming months following a dovish stance maintained by the Federal Reserve.

The index jumped over 7% intraday to hit its fresh 52-week high of 844.40 and finally closed 6.76% higher at 841.30 with all 10 components closing in the green. Shares of Prestige Estates, Oberoi Realty, Mahindra Lifespace Developers and The Phoenix Mills jumped between 4% and 6%. Shares of Puravankara closed with a 13% gain on Thursday. Naveen K R, smallcase manager & senior director at Windmill Capital said Nifty realty index has outperformed the broader market in 2023, marking a strong turn since RBI paused on rate hikes in March 2023. A potential rate cut in 2024, as global rates likely head down, will be positive for the sector, added Naveen.

"However the strong rally in realty stocks has priced in some of these gains. It is important to note that property sales have favoured premium & luxury housing in this upturn so far. A potential rate cut could actually help affordable housing segment more. With talks of government reviving interest subvention scheme for affordable housing, there seems to be more steam to the rally," he said.

Naveen explained since mid-2020s, Indian housing cycle has been on an upswing. Sales have since doubled, and supplies are still only catching up. The housing market has seen volumes surge by 25% YoY in 2023, doubling in three-years. As per analysts, 2024 should see a residential volume rise of 10%+ with a upside if mortgage rate cuts and/or govt. policy support.

The surge in realty stock also came as overall market sentiment remained positive after the minutes of the latest Federal Reserve meeting, released late on Wednesday, indicated that the policymakers are convinced that inflation has come under control and a rate cut is expected by March 2024.

BANGALORE ELECTRICITY SUPPLY COMPANY LIMITED

NOTIFICATION

BEFORE THE KARNATAKA ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION,

No.16, C-1, MILLERS TANK BED AREA, VASANTHANAGAR, BENGALURU – 560 052

No. BESCOM/D(F)/DGM(RA)/BC-19/F-1001 Dated:05.01.2024

IN THE MATTER OF:

An Application for approval of Truing up of FY-23, Aggregate Revenue Requirement (ARR) & Expected Revenue from Charges (ERC) for Wire and Supply Business for FY-25 and Retail Supply Tariff for FY-25 of Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited (BESCOM), Bangalore 560 001 under Section 27 of the Karnataka Electricity Reform Act, 1999 and under Section 61 & 62 of Electricity Act, 2003, read with relevant KERC (Tariff) Regulations including KERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff for Distribution and Retail sale of electricity) Regulations 2006 and MYT Order No. D/01/6, Dated 31.05.2006.

Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited (BESCOM),

K R Circle, Bengaluru-560 001 ..... PETITIONER

N O T I C E

Bangalore Electricity Supply Company (BESCOM), has filed a Petition before the Hon'ble Commission for Truing up of FY-23, Aggregate Revenue Requirement (ARR) & Expected Revenue from Charges (ERC) for Wire and Supply Business for FY-25 and Retail Supply Tariff for FY-25 under Section 27 of the Karnataka Electricity Reform Act, 1999 and under Section 61 & 62 of Electricity Act, 2003, read with relevant KERC (Tariff) Regulations including KERC (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff for Distribution and Retail sale of electricity) Regulations 2006 and MYT Order No. D/01/6, Dated 31.05.2006. The details of ERC filing are as under

1. NEED FOR REVISION:

A revenue deficit arises due to mismatch between Annual Revenue Requirement (ARR) and Revenue Receipts from existing tariff of BESCOM as detailed below:

Rs. in Crore

Year	Revenue Receipts	Revenue Requirement	Revenue Deficit
2022-23*	26235.49	27295.24	1059.75
2024-25**	33158.47	34897.16	1738.70

* Proposed for True up ** Modified estimate

Based on the above ARR, the estimated Average Cost of Supply of power is more than the Average Rate of Realization as detailed below:

Amount in Rs.

Year	Average Cost of Supply	Average Rate of Realization	Deficit
2024-25	9.83	9.34	0.49

Hence, the revision in tariff is required. BESCOM plans to recover Rs. 1738.70 Crs. in FY-25 from the proposed revision of Tariff.

2. **PROPOSED TARIFF INCREASE:** Estimated deficit/profit of FY-24 will be considered at the time of Truing up of FY-24. The estimated deficit for FY-25 of Rs. 1738.70 Crs is proposed to be recovered by Tariff increase. The tariffs applicable to various categories of consumers are as shown in Annexure-1.
3. Ready Reckoner showing the monthly bill as per existing tariff and bill as per the proposed tariff for different categories of consumers is shown as Annexure-2. Application filed before Commission is also available at all O&M Circle Offices (Offices of the Superintending Engineers, (Ele), C, O&M, Bengaluru (North), Bengaluru (South), Bengaluru (East), Bengaluru (West), Bengaluru (Rural), Tumakuru, Kolar, Davanagere and Ramanagara) and BESCOM, Corporate Office, K.R.Circle, Bengaluru-560 001.
4. Pursuant to Regulation-5 of KERC (Tariff) Regulations 2000, it is hereby notified that the persons who are interested in filing their objections to the above petition may file the same **with the Receiving Officer, O/o the Secretary, Karnataka Electricity Regulatory Commission, No.16, C-1, Millers Tank Bed Area, Vasanthanagar, Bengaluru-560 052,** along with the documents on which they want to rely upon, in six sets, duly supported by an affidavit within thirty days from the date of first publication of this Tariff Notification and also indicate whether they want to be heard in person. **A copy of the objection may be marked to Director (Finance), Second Floor, Belaku Bhavana, Corporate Office, BESCOM, K.R.Circle, Bengaluru-560 001 for furnishing replies to the objections.**
5. **For reference of those who are interested, copies of the petition are available for inspection at all Circle Offices (Offices of the Superintending Engineers (Ele) (C, O&M), Bengaluru (North), Bengaluru (South), Bengaluru (East), Bengaluru (West), Bengaluru (Rural), Tumakuru, Kolar, Davanagere and Ramanagara).**
6. **They may also obtain copies of the required portion of the petition by paying photocopying charges.**
7. **Further, full set of petition together with supporting material will also be made available to the interested persons by the Superintending Engineer Ele., of C,O&M Circles as in para 5, on payment of Rs. 400/- and the same is also available for sale at BESCOM Corporate Office, K.R.Circle, Bengaluru-560001.**
8. **The soft copy of the ERC/Tariff application can be viewed on the website of BESCOM (https://bescom.karnataka.gov.in/).**

For Bangalore Electricity Supply Company Limited
Sd/-
Director (Finance)
K.R.Circle, Bengaluru-560001

Annexure-1

Existing Tariff and Proposed Tariff

FY-25

Existing					LT	Proposed			
Sl. No.	Category	Description	Particulars	Rs		Category	Description	Particulars	Rs
1	LT 1	Bhagya Jyothi /Kutira Jyothi	Minimum charges per installation	100		LT 1	Bhagya Jyothi /Kutira Jyothi	Minimum charges per installation	100
			962 paise per unit subject to a monthly minimum of Rs.100 per installation per month. **Note: GoK has to pay subsidy in advance to provide free power supply to these categories. In case of non release of the subsidy in advance, CDT of Rs. 9.62 per unit subject to monthly minimum of Rs. 100/- per installation per month shall be demanded and collected from these Consumers.**	9.62				983 paise per unit subject to a monthly minimum of Rs.100 per installation per month. **Note: GoK has to pay subsidy in advance to provide free power supply to these categories. In case of non release of the subsidy in advance, CDT of Rs. 9.83 per unit subject to monthly minimum of Rs. 100/- per installation per month shall be demanded and collected from these Consumers.**	9.83
2	LT 2(a):	Domestic Lighting / Combined Lighting, All Electric Homes (AEH) Non-com Light-Heating & motive power, Govt. hospital & Hostel for aged & destitute and handicapped (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed charges/month	Rs		LT 2(a):	Domestic Lighting / Combined Lighting, All Electric Homes (AEH) Non-com Light-Heating & motive power, Govt. hospital & Hostel for aged & destitute and handicapped (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed charges/month	Rs
			Every KW up to and inclusive of 50 KW	110				For every additional KW up to and inclusive of 50KW	110
			For every additional KW above 50 KW	210				For every additional KW above 50 KW	210
			Energy Charges (Rs/units) for units consumed in a month					Energy Charges (Rs/units) for units consumed in a month	
			For 0-100 units	4.75				For 0-100 units	5.24
			0 to all units	7.00				0 to all units	7.49
			A rebate of 30 paise per unit in energy charges is provided for the consumers of village panchayats.					**A rebate of 30 paise per unit in energy charges is provided for the consumers of village panchayats.**	
3	LT 2(b)	"Private Professional educational institutions including aided & unaided, Nursing Homes and Private Hospitals with lighting or combined lighting & heating and motive power (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges per Month	Rs		LT 2(b)	Private Professional educational institutions including aided & unaided, Nursing Homes and Private Hospitals with lighting or combined lighting & heating and motive power (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges per Month	Rs
			Every KW up to and inclusive of 50 KW	180				Every KW up to and inclusive of 50 KW	180
			For every additional KW above 50 KW	250				For every additional KW above 50 KW	250
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)					Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	
			all units	7.75				all units	8.24
			A rebate of 30 paise per unit in energy charges is provided for the consumers of village panchayats.					**A rebate of 30 paise per unit in energy charges is provided for the consumers of village panchayats.**	
4	LT 3(a)	Commercial Lighting, Heating and motive power, Private Hospitals, Clinics, IT Enabled Services, IT based Medical Transcription centers, X-ray Units, Shops, Hotels, etc. as in the existing tariff (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed charges/month	Rs		LT 3(a)	Commercial Lighting, Heating and motive power, Private Hospitals, Clinics, IT Enabled Services, IT based Medical Transcription centers, X-ray Units, Shops, Hotels, etc. as in the existing tariff (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed charges/month	Rs
			200 per KW up to and inclusive of 50 KW	200				200 per KW up to and inclusive of 50 KW	200
			300 per KW for every additional KW above 50KW	300				300 per KW for every additional KW above 50KW	300
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)					Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	
			all units	8.50				all units	8.99
			A rebate of 30 paise per unit in energy charges is provided for the consumers of village panchayats.					**A rebate of 30 paise per unit in energy charges is provided for the consumers of village panchayats.**	
			Demand Based Tariff (Optional) where sanctioned load is above 5kW but below 150kW					Demand Based Tariff (Optional) where sanctioned load is above 5kW but below 150kW	
			Fixed charges upto and inclusive of 50 KW	220				Fixed charges up to and inclusive of 50 kW	220
			Fixed charges for every additional KW above 50 kW	320				Fixed charges for every additional KW above 50 kW	320
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)					Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	
			all units	8.50				all units	8.99
	LT 3(b)	"Hoardings and Advertisement boards - permanent basis (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed charges/month	Rs		LT 3(b)	Hoardings and Advertisement boards - permanent basis (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed charges/month	Rs
			Less than 67 HP	200				Less than 67 HP	200
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)					Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	
			all units	10.50				all units	10.99
5	LT 4	LT-4a: Applicable to IP. sets up to and inclusive of 10 HP.	Fixed Charges Rs / HP	Free as per GoK order		LT 4	LT-4a: Applicable to IP. sets up to and inclusive of 10 HP.	Fixed Charges Rs / HP	Free as per GoK order
			Energy Charges	Free as per GoK order				Energy Charges	Free as per GoK order
			Commission Determined Tariff (CDT) for LT-4 (a) category is (Rs/Unit)	4.76				Commission Determined Tariff (CDT) for LT-4 (a) category is	5.25
		LT 4(b): Applicable to IP sets above 10 HP.	Fixed Charges Rs/HP/month	135			LT 4(b): Applicable to IP sets above 10 HP.	Fixed Charges Rs/HP/month	135
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	4.10				Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	4.59
		LT-4(c): Applicable to Horticultural Nurseries, Coffee and Tea plantations	Fixed Charges Rs/HP/month	135			LT-4(c): Applicable to Horticultural Nurseries, Coffee and Tea plantations	Fixed Charges Rs/HP/month	135
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	4.25				Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	4.74
6	LT-5	Industrial, Non Industrial, Heating and Motive power incl. Lighting (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges per HP/month	Rs		LT-5	Industrial, Non Industrial, Heating and Motive power incl. Lighting (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges per HP/month	Rs
			Below 100 HP	140				Below 100 HP	140
			100 HP and above	250				100 HP and above	250
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)					Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	
			0 to 500 units	6.10				0 to 500 units	6.59
			above 500 units	7.10				above 500 units	7.59
			A rebate of 30 paise per unit in energy charges is provided for the consumers of village panchayats.					**A rebate of 30 paise per unit in energy charges is provided for the consumers of village panchayats.**	
			Demand Based Tariff (Optional)					Demand Based Tariff (Optional)	
			Fixed Charges per KW/HP/ month	Rs				Fixed Charges per KW/HP/month	Rs
			Below 100 HP	190				Below 100 HP	190
			100 HP and above	300				100 HP and above	300
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)					Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	
			0 to 500 units	6.10				0 to 500 units	6.59
			above 500 units	7.10				above 500 units	7.59
		TOD Tariff (Optional) - Applicable to LT-5					TOD Tariff (Optional) - Applicable to LT-5		
		Time of Day Increase(+) / reduction (-) in energy charges over the normal tariff applicable					**Time of Day Increase(+) / reduction (-) in energy charges over the normal tariff applicable**		
		Time Slot	From July to November (Paise/per unit)	From December to June (Paise/per uunit)			Time Slot	From July to November (Paise/per uunit)	From December to June (Paise/per unit)
		06.00 Hrs to 10.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	0.00			06.00 Hrs to 10.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	0.00
		10.00 Hrs to 18.00 Hrs (Off-Peak)	0.00	0.00			10.00 Hrs to 18.00 Hrs (Off-Peak)	0.00	0.00
		18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	(+)100			18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	(+)100
		22.00 Hrs to 06.00 Hrs (Normal)	0.00	(-)100			22.00 Hrs to 06.00 Hrs (Normal)	0.00	(-)100
7	LT 6	LT 6(a): Water Supply, Sewerage & Pumping of village Panchayat, Mandal Panchayat, Town Panchayat & Municipalities, Towns, Corporations, State & Central Govt.APMC, Water supply installations including Residential layouts, Charitable organizations (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges/HP/ month up to and inclusive of 67 HP	175		LT 6	LT 6(a): Water Supply, Sewerage & Pumping of village Panchayat, Mandal Panchayat, Town Panchayat & Municipalities, Towns, Corporations, State & Central Govt.APMC, Water supply installations including Residential layouts, Charitable organizations (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges/HP/ month up to and inclusive of 67 HP	175
			Fixed Charges/HP/ month for every additional kw above 67 HP	275				Fixed Charges/HP/ month for every additional kw above 67 HP	275
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	5.50				Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	5.99
		LT 6(b): Street lights, public lighting , City Municipalities, Corporations, State & Central Govt. APMC, Traffic Signal Sub-ways (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges/KW/month	175			LT 6(b): Street lights, public lighting , City Municipalities, Corporations, State & Central Govt, APMC, Traffic Signal Sub-ways (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges/KW/month	175
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	7.00				Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	7.49
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit) - LED/ induction Lighting	6.00				Energy Charges (Rs./Unit) - LED/ induction Lighting	6.00
		LT 6(c): Electric Vehicle Charging stations (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed or Demand Charges Rs./ KW/month up to and inclusive of 50 KW (LT)	70			LT 6(c): Electric Vehicle Charging stations (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed or demand charges Rs./KW/ month up to 50 KW (LT)	70
			Fixed or Demand Charges Rs./ KW/ month for every additional kw above 50 KW (LT)	170				Fixed or demand charges Rs./KW/ month for every additional kw above 50 KW (LT)	170
			Fixed or Demand Charges Rs./ KVA / month (HT)	200				Fixed or demand charges Rs./ KVA / month (HT)	200
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit) (for both LT and HT)	4.50				Energy Charges (for both LT and HT)	4.99
		TOD Tariff applicable for power supply availed under HT supply for charging the Electric Motor Vehicle in the Depots of BMTC/ Depots of KSRTC/ NEKRTC/ NWKRTC only					**TOD Tariff applicable for power supply availed under HT supply for charging the Electric Motor Vehicle in the Depots of BMTC/ Depots of KSRTC/ NEKRTC/ NWKRTC only**		
		Time of Day Increase(+) / reduction (-) in energy charges over the normal tariff applicable					Time of Day Increase(+) / reduction (-) in energy charges over the normal tariff applicable		
		Time Slot	From July to November (Paise/Per Unit)	From December to June (Paise/Per Unit)			Time Slot	From July to November (Paise/Per Unit)	From December to June (Paise/Per Unit)
		06.00 Hrs to 10.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	0.00			06.00 Hrs to 10.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	0.00
		10.00 Hrs to 18.00 Hrs (Off-Peak)	0.00	0.00			10.00 Hrs to 18.00 Hrs (Off-Peak)	0.00	0.00
		18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	(+)100			18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	(+)100
		22.00 Hrs to 06.00 Hrs (Normal)	0.00	(-)100			22.00 Hrs to 06.00 Hrs (Normal)	0.00	(-)100
8	LT 7	Temporary Power Supply (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges/HP/Month Less than 67 HP	200		LT 7	Temporary Power Supply (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges/HP/Month Less than 67 HP	200
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	11.50				Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	11.99
					HT				
9	HT 1	Public Water Supply and Sewerage Pumping installations (Applicable to all areas)	HT SUPPLY - 11 KV & ABOVE	Rs		HT 1	"Public Water Supply and Sewerage Pumping installations (Applicable to all areas) "	HT SUPPLY - 11 KV & ABOVE	Rs
			Monthly Demand Charges (Rs./kVA)	350				Monthly Demand Charges (Rs./kVA)	350
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	6.00				Energy Charges (Rs/Unit)	6.49
		HT-1: TOD Tariff (Optional)					**HT-1: TOD Tariff (Optional)**		

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		Time of Day Increase(+) / reduction (-) in energy charges over the normal tariff applicable					Time of Day Increase(+) / reduction (-) in energy charges over the normal tariff applicable		
		Time Slot	From July to November (Paise/Per Unit)	From December to June (Paise/Per Unit)			Time Slot	From July to November (Paise/Per Unit)	From December to June (Paise/Per Unit)
		06.00 Hrs to 10.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	0.00			06.00 Hrs to 10.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	0.00
		10.00 Hrs to 18.00 Hrs (Off-Peak)	0.00	0.00			10.00 Hrs to 18.00 Hrs (Off-Peak)	0.00	0.00
		18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	(+)100			18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	(+)100
		22.00 Hrs to 06.00 Hrs (Normal)	0.00	(-)100			22.00 Hrs to 06.00 Hrs (Normal)	0.00	(-)100
10	HT 2(a)	HT 2(a): Industrial and Non industrial & Non commercial Purposes (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (Rs./kVA)	350		HT 2(a)	HT 2(a): Industrial and Non industrial & Non commercial Purposes (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (Rs./kVA)	365
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit) all units	7.40				Energy Charges (Rs./Unit) all units	7.79
		For Railway Traction (Applicable to all areas)	Demand Charges (/KVA)	350			For Railway Traction (Applicable to all areas)	Demand Charges (/KVA)	350
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	7.00				Energy Charge (Rs./Unit)	7.00
		For Effluent Treatment Plants (Applicable to all areas)	Demand Charges per kVA of billing demand/month	350			For Effluent Treatment Plants (Applicable to all areas)	Demand Charges per kVA of billing demand/month	350
			Energy Charge (Rs./Unit) for all the units	7.00				Energy Charge (Rs./Unit) for all the units	7.00
		Bangalore Metropolitan Railwy Corporation Ltd., (BMRCL)	Monthly Demand Charges (Rs./kVA)	300			Bangalore Metropolitan Railwy Corporation Ltd., (BMRCL)	Monthly Demand Charges (Rs./kVA)	300
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	5.25				Energy Charge (Rs./Unit)	5.25
11	HT 2(b)	Commercial installation, Hotels, Banks, IT enabled Services, Petrol / diesel storages plants etc. (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (per kVA)	375		HT 2(b)	Commercial installation, Hotels, Banks, IT enabled Services, Petrol / diesel storages plants etc. (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (per kVA)	385
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit) all units	9.25				Energy Charge (Rs./Unit) all units	9.62
12	HT 2(c)	HT 2(c)(i): Applicable to Govt Hospitals and Educational institutions (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (per kVA)	300		HT 2(c)	HT 2(c)(i): Applicable to Govt Hospitals and Educational institutions (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (per kVA)	310
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit) For all units	7.50				Energy Charge (Rs./Unit) For all units	7.93
		HT 2(c)(ii) Applicable to Hospitals and Educational institutions other than those covered under HT 2(c)(i) (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (per kVA)	350			HT 2(c)(ii) Applicable to Hospitals and Educational institutions other than those covered under HT 2(c)(i) (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (per kVA)	360
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit) For all units	8.50				Energy Charge (Rs./Unit) For all units	8.92
		TOD Tariff applicable to HT 2(a), HT2(b), HT2(c)(i) & HT2(c)(iii) category					TOD Tariff applicable to HT 2(a), HT2(b), HT2(c)(i) & HT2(c)(ii) category		
		Time Slot	From July to November (Paise/Per Unit)	From December to June (Paise/Per Unit)			Time Slot	From July to November (Paise/Per Unit)	From December to June (Paise/Per Unit)
		06.00 Hrs to 10.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	0.00			06.00 Hrs to 10.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	0.00
		10.00 Hrs to 18.00 Hrs (Off-Peak)	0.00	0.00			10.00 Hrs to 18.00 Hrs (Off-Peak)	0.00	0.00
		18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	(+)100			18.00 Hrs to 22.00 Hrs (Peak)	0.00	(+)100
		22.00 Hrs to 06.00 Hrs (Normal)	0.00	(-)100			22.00 Hrs to 06.00 Hrs (Normal)	0.00	(-)100
13	HT-3	Lift Irrigation Schemes/ Societies (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges Rs / HP/month of sd load	150		HT-3	Lift Irrigation Schemes/ Societies (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges Rs / HP/month of sd load	165
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	3.50				Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	3.63
14	HT-4	Residential apartments and colonies availing power Supply independently and Govt Hospitals (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (per kVA)	300		HT-4	Residential apartments and colonies availing power Supply independently and Govt Hospitals (Applicable to all areas)	Monthly Demand Charges (per kVA)	320
			PLUS					PLUS	
			Energy Charge (Rs./Unit)	7.25				Energy Charge (Rs./Unit)	7.63
15	HT 5	Temporary Supply (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges per HP per month (for sanctioned load 67 HP & above)	400		HT 5	Temporary Supply (Applicable to all areas)	For sanctioned load 67 HP & above	415
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	11.50				Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	11.90
		Temporary Supply -BIEC	Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	13.00			Temporary Supply -BIEC	Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	13.00
16	HT-6:	Applicable to Irrigation and Agricultural Farms, Government Horticultural Farms, Private Horticultural Nurseries, Coffe Tea, Rubber, Coconut & Arecanut Plantations (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges per HP per month (per HP of the sanctioned load)	150		HT-6:	Applicable to Irrigation and Agricultural Farms, Government Horticultural Farms, Private Horticultural Nurseries, Coffe Tea, Rubber, Coconut & Arecanut Plantations (Applicable to all areas)	Fixed Charges per HP per month (per HP of the sanctioned load)	165
			Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	5.50				Energy Charges (Rs./Unit)	5.91

READY RECKONER
Annexure-2

Category	Type of installation	Consumption level (KWH) per Month (units)	Monthly bill as per existing Tariff (Rs.)	Monthly bill as per proposed Tariff (Rs.)	%age of increase (without tax)
LT-1	Bhagya Jyothi/Kutira Jyothi (fully subsidized by GoK)				
	100 watts	20	192	197	2.60
		40	385	393	2.08
LT-2a	Domestic/AEH (Applicable for all areas)				
	up to 1 KW	50	348	372	6.90
		100	585	634	8.38
	3 KW	200	1730	1828	5.66
		300	2430	2577	6.05
		400	3130	3326	6.26
LT-2a	Domestic/AEH (Rebate of 30Ps/unit shall be allowed to the consumers falling under village panchayat areas)				
	up to 1 KW	50	333	357	7.21
		100	555	604	8.83
	3 KW	200	1670	1768	5.87
		300	2340	2487	6.28
		400	3010	3206	6.51
LT-2b	Pvt. Educational Institutions & Hospitals (Applicable for all areas)				
	up to 1 KW	100	955	1004	5.13
	3 KW	200	2090	2188	4.69
		300	2865	3012	5.13
		400	3640	3836	5.38
LT-2b	Pvt. Educational Institutions & Hospitals (Rebate of 30Ps/unit shall be allowed to the consumers falling under village panchayat areas)				
	up to 1 KW	100	925	974	5.30
	3 KW	200	2030	2128	4.83
		300	2775	2922	5.30
		400	3520	3716	5.57
LT-3(a)	Commercial (Applicable for all areas)				
	for 1 KW	50	625	650	4.00
		100	1050	1099	4.67
	For 5 KW	100	1850	1899	2.65
		300	3550	3697	4.14
		500	5250	5495	4.67
	For 10 KW	100	2850	2899	1.72
		300	4550	4697	3.23
		500	6250	6495	3.92
		1000	10500	10990	4.67
LT-3(a)	Commercial (Rebate of 30Ps/unit shall be allowed to the consumers falling under village panchayat areas)"				
	for 1 KW	50	610	635	4.10
		100	1020	1069	4.80
	For 5 KW	100	1820	1869	2.69
		300	3460	3607	4.25
		500	5100	5345	4.80
	For 10 KW	100	2820	2869	1.74
		300	4460	4607	3.30
		500	6100	6345	4.02
		1000	10200	10690	4.80
LT-4a	Irrigation Pumpsets 10HP and below (fully subsidized by GoK)				
	10HP and below	600	2856	3150	10.29
LT-4b	10 HP and above	375	3023	3206	6.05
LT-4c	10 HP	284	2557	2696	5.44
LT-5	Industrial, Non-Industrial Heating and Motive power including Lighting (Applicable for all areas)				
	5 HP	200	1920	2018	5.10
		300	2530	2677	5.81
		500	3750	3995	6.53
	10 HP	600	5160	5454	5.70
		800	6580	6972	5.96
		1000	8000	8490	6.13
	20 HP	1500	12950	13685	5.68
		2000	16500	17480	5.94
		3000	23600	25070	6.23
	50 HP	3000	27800	29270	5.29
		4000	34900	36860	5.62
		7000	56200	59630	6.10
	65 HP	4000	37000	38960	5.30
		5000	44100	46550	5.56
		10000	79600	84500	6.16
	75 HP	7000	59700	63130	5.75
		9000	73900	78310	5.97
		11000	88100	93490	6.12
LT-5	Industrial, Non-Industrial Heating and Motive power including Lighting (Rebate of 30Ps/unit shall be allowed to the consumers falling under village panchayat areas)				
	5 HP	200	1860	1958	5.27
		300	2440	2587	6.02
		500	3600	3845	6.81
	10 HP	600	4980	5274	5.90
		800	6340	6732	6.18
		1000	7700	8190	6.36
	20 HP	1500	12500	13235	5.88
		2000	15900	16880	6.16
		3000	22700	24170	6.48
	50 HP	3000	26900	28370	5.46
		4000	33700	35660	5.82
		7000	54100	57530	6.34
	65 HP	4000	35800	37760	5.47
		5000	42600	45050	5.75
		10000	76600	81500	6.40
	75 HP	7000	57600	61030	5.95
		9000	71200	75610	6.19
		11000	84800	90190	6.36
LT-6(a)	Water Supply and Sewerage pumping installations (Applicable for all areas)				
	3 HP	500	3275	3520	7.48
	5 HP	1000	6375	6865	7.69
	10 HP	2000	12750	13730	7.69
LT-6(b)	Street Lights/Public Lighting Installations (Applicable for all areas)				
	3 KW	200	1925	2023	5.09
	5 KW	300	2975	3122	4.94
	10 KW	500	5250	5495	4.67
LT-6(c)	Electric Vehicle-LT (Applicable for all areas)				
	for 1 KW	50	295	320	8.47
		100	520	569	9.42
	For 5 KW	100	800	849	6.13
		300	1700	1847	8.65
		500	2600	2845	9.42

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E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

It is notified for all concerned that the following property is secured in favour of **The Malleswaram Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Malleswaram Branch,** and as secured creditor taken possession under SARFAESI Act 2002, will be sold by e-auction on **24.01.2024** "as is where is and as is what is basis" for recovery of Bank dues. This is a notice to the borrower/s, Mortgagor/s and to the guarantor/s of the below said loan about holding of E-Auction sale on the said date, if their outstanding dues are not repaid in full by the date of auction.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S, MORTGAGOR/S & GUARANTOR/S:

1. Dr. Mahesh Kumar Sahu S/o Late Kailash Chandra Sahu, No.90, 4th Cross, 36th Main, B T M Layout, 1st Stage, Dollar's Scheme, Bangalore-560068.	**2. Dr. Ismath Afshan,** W/o Dr. Mahesh Kumar Sahu No.90, 4th Cross, 36th Main, B T M Layout, 1st Stage, Dollar's Scheme, Bangalore-560068.
3. Ms. Seema Sahu, D/o Dr. Mahesh Kumar Sahu, No.90, 4th Cross, 36th Main, B T M Layout, 1st Stage, Dollar's Scheme, Bangalore-560068.	**4. Ms. Samra Sahu** D/o Dr. Mahesh Kumar Sahu, No.90, 4th Cross, 36th Main, B T M Layout, 1st Stage, Dollar's Scheme, Bangalore-560068.

The under mentioned property will be sold by "Online e-Auction through website **https://www.bankeauctionwizard.com** on **24.01.2024** for Recovery of an amount for **A/c No.08001/2815 Rs. 12,59,35,915/-** (Rupees Twelve Crore Fifty Nine Lakhs Thirty Five Thousand Nine Hundred Fifteen Only) as on **31.12.2023** with further interest and cost till the date of payment.

Schedule of the property : All that piece and parcel of the residential immovable property bearing No.90, B T M Dollar Madivala Extension, 1st Stage, 4th Cross, Ward No.65, Bangalore, PID No.65-50-90, including all rights, privileges and appurtenances thereto constructed on the site measuring East to West 15.24 meters and North to South 23.46 meters, totally measuring 357.53 Square Meters. Bounded By: East : Site No.89, West: Site No.91 , North : Road, South: Site No.93.

Reserve Price	**Rs.5,65,00,000/- (Rupees Five Crore Eighty Five Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand Only)**
Earnest Money Deposit	**Rs.56,50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Eight Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Only)**
Bid increment Amount	**Rs.25,000 /- or in such multiples**
Last date for submission of tender form along with EMD and KYC documents	**23.01.2024 before 5.30 PM**
Date and time of opening of online offers	**e–auction Portal: www.bankeauctionwizard.com 24.01.2024 from 10.00am - 11.00 am with auto time extension of 5 minutes each with unlimited extension**
E-auction Service Provider Details & web site	**M/s Antares Systems Limited, Address: # 24, Sudha Complex, 3rd Stage, 4th Block, Basaveswaranagara, Bangalore-560079. Contact person: Sushmitha B, Helpline No's: 8951944383 Land Line: 080-40482000 Mail Id: Sushmitha.B@antaressystems.com.**

This Publication is also 30 days notice stipulated under rule 8(6) or Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 to the above Borrower/Mortgagors/Guarantors.

Terms and Conditions of Auction Sale: -

1. Auction/bidding shall only be through "online electronic mode" through the website of the Service **https://www.bankeauctionwizard.com.** M/s. Antares Systems Limited, Bangalore is the Service Provider to arrange e-auction platform.
2. The bidders should deposit 10% of Reserve Price before participating in e-auction. The bidders may participate in e-auction for bidding from their place of choice and internet connectivity shall have to be ensured by bidder himself. Bank/Service Provider shall not be held responsible for the internet connectivity, network problems, system crash down, power failure etc. The EMD of unsuccessful bidders will not carry any interest.
3. For details, help, procedure and online training on e-auction prospective bidders may contact the Service Provider **M/s Antares Systems Limited** Address: #24, Sudha Complex, 3rd Stage, 4th Block, Basaveswaranagar,Bangalore- 560 079, **Contact Person: Manohar.S, Helpline No's: 9686196755/56, Land Line: 080-40482100, Mail Id: manohar.s@antaressystems.com.**
4. For participating in e-auction sale the intending bidder should register their details with the Service Provider M/s. Antares Systems Limited, Bangalore, through the Bank well in advance and get the User ID and password. Only the password may be changed on receiving it. Bidders are required to hold digital signature certificate for participating in the E-Auction at their own cost. The bidder should attatch a copy of PAN Card for identity proof and a proof of residence such as Aadhar, Passport, Election I D, Driving License, etc.,
5. The property **"SHALL NOT"** be sold below the Reserve Price.
6. The property is being sold on **"AS IS WHERE IS & AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"** and subject to conditions prescribed in the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002
7. The successful bidder should deposit 25% of the bid amount (including EMD) on the same day of the sale, being knocked down in his favor and balance 75% of bid amount within 30 days from the sale date through **RTGS/NEFT/Funds Transfer** to the credit of A/C No.001490030000009 **The Malleswaram Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Malleswaram Branch**, Bangalore and IFSC Code of the bank is "HDFC0CMCOBL" After receiving full bid amount Sale Certificate will be issued in favour of successful bidder only. No Nomination facility shall be made available for the purpose of sale certificate.
8. In case of default in payment at any stage by the successful bidder/auction purchaser within the stipulated time, the sale will be cancelled and the amount already paid will be forfeited and the property will be again put to sale.
9. The successful bidder shall bear the charges payable for conveyance, Registration fee, stamp duty etc., as applicable in related laws.
10. It is not within the knowledge of the bank about any taxes, revenue / dues to any local authority and any / all such taxes, revenue / gives any local authority if any as applicable shall be born by the successful bidder only.
11. Bids once made shall not be cancelled or withdrawn. All bids made from the user ID given to bidder will be deemed to have been made by him only.
12. Prospective bidders are advised to peruse the copies of Title deeds with the Bank and verify the latest Encumbrance Certificate and other Revenue/Municipal records to exercise due diligence and satisfy themselves on the Title and Encumbrances, if any over the property.
13. The immovable property described herein above shall remain and be at the sole risk of the successful bidder in all respects including loss or damage by fire or theft or other accidents, and other risk from the date of the confirmation of sale by the undersigned Authorized Officer. The successful bidder shall not be entitled to annul the sale on any ground of whatsoever nature.
14. All bidders shall be deemed to have read and understood the terms and conditions of sale and be bound by them.
15. The Authorized Officer may postpone/cancel the e- Auction without assigning any reason thereof. Sale is subject to confirmation by the secured creditor who may reject even the highest bid without assigning any reason. Such a decision of the secured creditor shall be final and no claim, whatsoever can be made against or with respect to such a decision. In case , the highest bid is rejected, the Authorized Officer can negotiate with any of the remaining bidders or any other person(s) for sale of the property by private treaty at a price higher than the highest bid.
16. In case the e-Auction scheduled is postponed to a date before 30 days from the scheduled date of sale, it will be displayed on the website of the Service Provider.

Note: The intending bidders may contact The Malleswaram Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Malleswaram Branch H.O: #102, 7th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003 for ascertaining the details of property and also for inspection of property on the date fixed by the Bank (Contact No.9483281329) E-Mail: mcb_mall@yahoo.com.

Date: 04.01.2024
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Malleswaram Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,

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WORKS DEPARTMENT
E-mail : ceworldbankprojects@gmail.com

2nd corrigendum to Bid Identification No. CE-W.B.P. (0) - 37 / 2023-24

B-1551: Following changes are made to the Invitation for the work "Construction of H. L. Bridge over river Brahmani at Talcher connecting Talcher to Khalpal in the District of Angul under State Plan for the year 2023-24" vide Bid Identification No. CE-WBP (0) - 37 / 2023 - 24.

+ The Last date of submission of tender is extended **upto 5.00 PM of dt.11.01.2024.**
+ Bids received on line shall be opened **at 3.00 P.M of 12.01.2024.**

All other terms and conditions remain unchanged.

Sd/-
Chief Engineer
World Bank Project, Odisha

OIPR-34003/11/0080/2324

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client **M/s.Run Charitable Trust,** A Registered Trust having its Office at No.175/1, Ground Floor, 3rd Cross, Nehru Road, Kammanahalli, Bangalore : 560 084, represented by its Founder Trustee and President **Mr.Isac Tharian** have entered into an Agreement to Sell dated 15.07.2023 to purchase the immovable property described in the Schedule hereunder from its owner **Mrs.K.Latha,** wife of Mr.Shanthappa, Daughter of late K.S.Kempanna, residing at No.42, 1st Cross, Ramanjaneya Nagar, Bangalore : 560 061.

The Owner has represented that the Schedule Property has been devised to her absolutely in terms of a Registered Last Will and Testament dated 10.04.2021 executed by her brother **Mr.K.Naveen** (since deceased) and Registered as Document No.104/2021-22 of Book-111, stored in CD No.RRND 939, in the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Jayanagar, (Rajarajeshwarinagar), Bangalore;

Any person/s having or claiming any manner of right, title, lien and interest in respect of the Schedule property may intimate the same in writing to the undersigned with documentary evidence in support thereof within **seven days** from the date of publication of this notice, failing which the claims of all such person/s shall be deemed to have been waived or abandoned and my client will proceed with the conveyance as if no valid claims are subsisting against the Schedule property.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of land vacant residential bearing **No.150,** House List Khatha No.141/4, formed in Property No.8/1 B, situated at **Nagareshwara Nagenahalli Village,** K.R.Puram Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk and now coming within limits of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore and bearing **BBMP Khatha No.141/4/8/1 B/150, Serial No.1845** and bounded on the :

EAST BY : 35 feet wide Road;
WEST BY : Private Property;
NORTH BY : Site bearing No.149;
SOUTH BY : Site bearing No.151;
and measuring :
EAST to WEST : 80 feet + 83 feet; / 2
NORTH to SOUTH : 40 feet;
Totally measuring in all 3260 Square feet;

NISSAR AHMED, Advocate
No.10, Millers Road, Benson Town, Bangalore : 560 046.

Dated : 05.01.2024 Place : Bangalore

DBS BANK INDIA LTD.

#460/2, PTK Complex, 8th B Main Road, Besides Jain Temple, 4th block, Jayanagar, Bengaluru-560011.

APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to rule 8 (6)]
E Auction Sale notice for sale of immovable properties

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Asset under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the vacant and physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of DBS Bank India Limited. The secured asset will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis for recovery of INR **86,30,220.31 (Indian rupees eighty six lakh thirty thousand two hundred and twenty and paisa thirty one only) by way of working capital facility and INR 13,13,440.29 (Indian rupees thirteen lakh thirteen thousand four hundred and forty and paisa twenty nine only) by way of the ECLGS facility, aggregating to INR 99,43,660.60 (Indian rupees ninety nine lakh forty three thousand six hundred and sixty and paisa sixty only) as on 30 Nov 2023 along with future interest and applicable default interest on the overdue amount ("Outstanding Amount") from 01 Dec 2023** due to DBS Bank India Limited, Halasuru Branch, Bengaluru, the Secured Creditor from Borrowers: 1.) Sri ShubhakarBhuvanesh Rao Proprietor Aditi Incorp, No. 126, Satyanarayana Layout J. C. Nagar, Mahalaxmipura Layout Karnataka 560086. r/a # F1, 12/1, Olety Mansion, 2nd Main Road, 4th Cross, Near Moodalapalya Circle, SVG Nagar, Amarajyothinagar, Nagarbhavi, Bengaluru 560072 and 2.) Smt. Bharathi S, (Guarantor) W/o. Sri ShubhakarBhuvanesh Rao # F1, 12/1, Olety Mansion, 2nd Main Road, 4th Cross, Near Moodalapalya Circle, SVG Nagar, Amarajyothinagar, Nagarbhavi, Bengaluru - 560072.

Date of E Auction:	**09-Feb-2024 at 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM**
last date, time for payment of EMD and place for submission of application and contact details	**08 Feb 2024, before 3:00 PM** DBS Bank India Ltd, 460/2, PTK Complex, 8th B Main Road, 4th block Jayanagar, Bengaluru - 560011 Kamataka. Ph. no. 8106566658/ 7387072130.
Reserve Price	**Rs 55,00,000/- (Rupees fifty-five lakhs only)**
EMD	INR 5,50,000/- (Indian rupees five lakh fifty thousand only) DD/PO/BC/NEFT/RTGS favouringDBS Bank India Limited Account No. 827LIABIEFTCLINR, IFSC: DBSS0IN0827 Halasuru Branch, Bengaluru

Description of Immovable Property:

Property owned by Sri ShubhakarBhuvaneshrao: Exclusive charge on the Residential property # flat no. S1, 2nd floor, Site No. 312, in layout formed by Bank Officers and Officials House Building Co-operative Society Limited vide BDA Resolution No. 480/92, dated 07.11.1992 measuring East and West 30 feet and North and South 40 feet in all 133.33 Sq Yards, situated at Doddakallasandra and Raghuvanahalli Village, 1st stage, Kanakpura main road, UttrahalliHobli, Shriganga, Bangalore South Taluk, now comes under BBMP limits ward no 197, Sub range, Bangalore - 560062. Extent 1000 Sq ft SBA and 350 Sq ft UDR in the property bearing site no 312. Bounded on: East by: Site no 313, North by: Road, West by: Site no 311 and South by: Site no 288. For more detailed terms and conditions:

a.Please visit the E Auction Service Provider's website https://bankauctions.in

b.Please visit our bank website https://www.dbs.com/in/corporate/regulatory-disclosure/important-announcements.

Date: 04 -Jan-2024 Authorised Officer,DBS Bank India Limited
Place: Bengaluru SAM – Bengaluru

Government of Karnataka
Directorate of Electronic Delivery of Citizen Services (EDCS) DPAR (e-Governance)
No. 3 4th Floor, Embassy Icon Building, Infantry Road, Bengaluru - 560001.

No: DPAREGOV/2023-24/SE0016 **Dated: 04.01.2024**

e-TENDER NOTIFICATION

Directorate of EDCS invites tender for **Providing Vehicle Services on monthly hire basis for Directorate of EDCS.**

The tender documents have to be uploaded in e-Procurement portal on or before **20.01.2024, 5.30 pm.**

For terms & conditions of the tender can be obtained from website **https: //www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in.**

DIPR/CP/2865/Zen/2022-23 **Sd/- Director, EDCS**

Govt. of Karnataka
Office of the Executive Engineer, Panchayath Raj Engineering Division, Vijayapur
Tel.No:08352-277816, Fax.No:08352-277817,
E-Mail:zpebjp9@yahoo.co.in

NO:EE/PRED/VJP/E-Proc/TND/2023-24/2017 Dated:02.01.2024

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION
(Two Cover System)

Executive Engineer, PRE Division, Vijayapura has invited e-tender for the works under the 4202 KPS School Develeopment Grant scheme for the year 2022-23 **Rs. 125.70 Lakhs** package works **vide Tender Publication No. 2017 Date 02.01.2024.** For more information about the tender, the information can be collected at the website www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in or visit the office of the said Division during office hours.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
P.R.E. Division, Vijayapur

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MSIL Mysore Sales International Limited
(A Govt. of Karnataka Enterprise)
Chit Funds Division
MSIL House, No. 36, Cunningham Road, Bangalore - 560 052.
No.: MSIL/CF/03/2023-24/CALL-2 Date : 05.01.2024

SHORT-TERM e-TENDER NOTIFICATION

Mysore Sales International Limited, a premier Govt. of Karnataka Undertaking involved in marketing of various products and services invites short-term e-tender CALL-2 through e-procurement platform **for selection of CA firm to provide Financial and Accounting service to Chit Fund Division and Chit Fund Branches.** The documents are available at e-procurement website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** address **from 05.01.2024 to 16.01.2024 up to 3:30 p.m.** Last date for submission is **16.01.2024 till 3:30 p.m.** The pre-bid meeting date: **11.01.2024 at 3:30p.m.** at the above address

Sd/- Chief General Manager (Chit Funds Division)

TNPL TAMILNADU NEWSPRINT AND PAPERS LIMITED
Unit-1: Kagithapuram - 639 136, Karur Dist., Tamil Nadu. Ph: 04324-277001 (10 Lines)
Unit-2: Mondipatti - 621 306, Trichy District, Tamil Nadu. Ph: 04332-261600

NOTICE INVITING TENDERS

Tender No.	Material Description	Due Date
232443 000024	Design, Manufacture, Supply of two nos. of Fully Automatic Exercise Notebook Conversion Machine and its Auxillaries, Spares and Supervision of Erection, Start-up & Commissioning for TNPL Mayanur Plant	10.01.24
232413 006297	Procurement of Caustic Soda Lye for Unit-I and Unit-II	18.01.24
232413 006294	Procurement of Optical Brightening Agent for PM #1, 2 & 3 a) Wet End Liquid OBA b) Surface Liquid OBA	19.01.24
232423 003859	OBA (Slurry / Liquid) for Coating - VAP for TNPL Unit-II	19.01.24
232423 003918	Procurement of Clay No-1 (Spray Dried) for Board Machine of Unit-II	19.01.24
Email	232443000024 - pmd8@tnpl.co.in 232413006297; 6294 - purchase.rawmatl@tnpl.co.in 232423003859 - purchaserm.u2@tnpl.co.in 232423003918 - purchaseimp.u2@tnpl.co.in	

Corrigendum if any will be issued in TNPL Website and NIC Portal only.
Detailed Terms & Conditions are available in tender document at our websites: www.tnpl.com / www.tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app

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	100 KVA	6000	47000	49940	6.26
		10000	65000	69900	7.54
		14000	83000	89860	8.27
	1000 KVA	60000	470000	499400	6.26
		100000	650000	699000	7.54
		210000	1145000	1247900	8.99
	Water supply and Sewerage Installations (Applicable for all areas)				
	100 KVA	9000	89000	93410	4.96
		10000	95000	99900	5.16
		11000	101000	106390	5.34
	300 KVA	10000	165000	169900	2.97
		14000	189000	195860	3.63
		20000	225000	234800	4.36
	1000 KVA	110000	1010000	1063900	5.34
		130000	1130000	1193700	5.64
		150000	1250000	1323500	5.88
	6000 KVA	400000	4500000	4696000	4.36
		500000	5100000	5345000	4.80
		600000	5700000	5994000	5.16
HT-2(a)	Industrial (Applicable for all areas)				
	300 KVA	12000	193800	202980	4.74
		15000	216000	226350	4.79
		20000	253000	265300	4.86
		110000	919000	966400	5.16
	Railway Traction (Applicable for all areas)				
	9000 KVA	1000000	10150000	10150000	0.00
		2000000	17150000	17150000	0.00
	Effluent/Sewage Treatment (Applicable for all areas)				
	9000 KVA	1000000	10150000	10150000	0.00
		2000000	17150000	17150000	0.00
	BMRCL				
	9000 KVA	1000000	7950000	7950000	0.00
		2000000	13200000	13200000	0.00

HT-2(b)	Commercial (Applicable for all areas)				
	100 KVA	6000	93000	96220	3.46
		10000	130000	134700	3.62
		14000	167000	173180	3.70
	1000 KVA	60000	930000	962200	3.46
		100000	1300000	1347000	3.62
		210000	2317500	2405200	3.78
HT-2(c)(i)	Govt. Hospitals and Hospitals run by Charitable Institutions and ESI Hospitals, Govt. Universities, Educational Institutons, Local bodies, aided institutions and Hostels of all educational institutions (Applicable for all areas)				
	100 KVA	6000	75000	78580	4.77
		10000	105000	110300	5.05
		14000	135000	142020	5.20
	1000 KVA	60000	750000	785800	4.77
		100000	1050000	1103000	5.05
		210000	1875000	1975300	5.35
HT-2(c)(ii)	Applicable to Hospitals and Educational institutions other than those covered under HT-2(C)(i) (Applicable for all areas)				
	100 KVA	6000	86000	89520	4.09
		10000	120000	125200	4.33
		14000	154000	160880	4.47
	1000 KVA	60000	860000	895200	4.09
		100000	1200000	1252000	4.33
		210000	2135000	2233200	4.60
HT-4	Residential Apartment/ Colonies (Applicable for all areas)				
	100 KVA	6000	73500	77780	5.82
		10000	102500	108300	5.66
		12000	117000	123560	5.61
	1000 KVA	60000	735000	777800	5.82
		100000	1025000	1083000	5.66
		120000	1170000	1235600	5.61

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In addition to the above, taxes levied/leviable by the State Government from time to time shall be applicable

Nadal reaches Brisbane quarterfinals

Rafael Nadal's comeback from a year-long injury layoff reached the Brisbane International quarterfinals after dominating Jason Kubler 6-1, 6-2 on Thursday. The 22-time major winner is playing on a wild card after his ranking slipped into the 600s as he recovered from hip surgery, and he's desperate for match time ahead of the Australian Open this month.

UWW writes to IOA, ad-hoc panel seeking WFI election report

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

EXACTLY two weeks after the election to the executive committee of the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) was held in New Delhi, the United World Wrestling (UWW) on Thursday apparently has sought written confirmation from the Indian Olympic Association (IOA) about the proceedings. It is understood that the UWW apparently has addressed a letter to both the IOA president and ad-hoc committee asking them to submit a detailed plan to provide a safe environment to wrestlers for approval.

Incidentally, the letter was written to the IOA and its ad hoc panel, a day after this daily reported that the UWW is yet not receive any official confirmation regarding the WFI election from the IOA. It should be noted here that the UWW suspended the WFI last year for not conducting elections. It also raised serious concerns over the wrestlers' protest in the country wherein the top grapplers from the country accused the former WFI president Brij Bhushan Sharan Singh of sexual harassment.

The detailed plan sought by the world body deals with the issues as it urged the IOA to set up a committee to address complaints of abuse and harassment. The committee has to be in compliance with the Indian laws said the UWW. It also urged the IOA to form an Athletes' Commission that should consist of male and female athletes in equal numbers. The UWW made it clear that the suspension imposed in August last year could only be revoked once these measures are implemented. It also clarified that Indian wrestlers can continue to participate in international events under the same conditions laid out in the suspension letter.

World body yet to receive WFI election confirmation

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

MUCH water has flown under the bridge ever since the election to the executive committee of the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) was held almost two weeks ago. Only three days later on December 24, the newly-elected WFI was abstained from functioning by the sports ministry. The ministry also directed the Indian Olympic Association to form an ad-hoc committee to run the sport in the country.

In the meantime, the only woman wrestler from the country to have won an Olympic medal, Sakshi Malik, announced her retirement from the sport while Olympic medalist Bajrang Punia and World Championships medallist

Young wrestlers protest against senior pro Sakshi Malik, Bajrang Punia and Vinesh Phogat at Jantar Mantar, in New Delhi on Wednesday

presence of observers from the IOA and UWW. "As far as the

national tournaments, however, threatened to return awards of the suspension of the WFI is

Interestingly, the IOA though had not sent the WFI election report which was held on December 21 under the guidance of returning officer MM Kumar, former Chief Justice of J&K High Court, it had sent the report on the formation of the three-member ad-hoc committee. The panel was formed almost a week after the polls wherein Brij Bhushan's close associate Sanjay Singh was elected as the president of the WFI.

Sanjay calls EC meeting

Even as the sports ministry has abstained the newly-elected WFI from functioning, Sanjay Singh has issued a notice of the meeting of the executive committee meeting on January 16 in New Delhi. Citing subarticle a of Article X, the letter issued on December 31 says president shall be the chief officer of the WFI and shall be empowered to call meetings of the council and executive if he deems it proper.

Prominent items listed on the agenda are a) To discuss and act upon the decisions and directions of the General Council meeting of the WFI held on 21st December 2023; b) To discuss about the new office of the WFI which has been shifted from its existing office to 101, Hari Nagar, Ashram Chowk, New Delhi; c) To decide the annual calendar of the WFI; d) To appoint Special Committees for specific functions and assign duties whenever necessary and delegate all or any of its powers to a Committee; e) To explain, define and interpret certain provision of this constitution; f) To discuss the required amendments to the constitution of the WFI; g) To discuss about the decision taken by the Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Govt. of India in respect of forming Ad-hoc Committee; h) To discuss about holding the National Wrestling Championships in different age groups.

It should be noted here that the ad-hoc body has already announced its decision to hold the senior national championships next month in Jaipur. It also announced to organise the U-15 and U-20 national championships within six weeks after hundreds of upcoming wrestlers gathered at Jantar Mantar on Wednesday to protest against the ongoing mess.

Ad-hoc panel meets

On a day that witnessed quite a few developments as far as wrestling in the country is concerned, the ad-hoc panel headed by Bhupender Singh Bajwa also met to discuss the way forward. Officially made in charge of the game in the country by the sports ministry, the panel members apparently shared their plans keeping in view the 2024 Paris Olympics. Among other things the panel also discussed about the junior nationals, which it is planning to hold in February. And the nationals will be held as if it were organised in 2023. This means age concession will be given to the players.

Pacer Bumrah takes six as India level series with a memorable victory in the shortest Test of all time

CAPE CONQUERED

GOMESH S @Chennai

TO be honest, when Day Two started at Newlands with South Africa having seven wickets in hand, everyone knew it was only a matter of time. And it took exactly 31.5 overs to get a result. India recorded their first Test win in Cape Town, their first New Year's Test win in 37 years, their first shared Test series in South Africa since 2011.

Well the storyline on Thursday did not have much surprise. First Jasprit Bumrah conjured magic, registering his eighth fifer outside Asia. Then, Aiden Markram produced a batting masterclass on how to bat on an awkward Cape Town pitch. Where no other batter crossed fifty, Markram smashed a 103-ball 106 — highest individual contribution (60.23 %) in a completed Test innings for South Africa — before the hosts were dismissed for 176. There on, it took about 12 overs for India to chase the target, and this time, Rohit Sharma ensured he was there in the middle to take the team home.

While the Test match lasted only 642 legitimate deliveries in Cape Town, every ball was an event. When Bumrah or Mohammed Siraj or Kagiso Rabada was running in, one could not take the eye off the TV screen. Having seen how the surface played out on Wednesday, they were consistently hitting the right length and letting pitch take care of the rest. The red cherry was seaming around, testing the batters, as it always has in Cape Town. And both Bumrah and Rabada showed why they are among the best in the business — the former's record is nothing short of spectacular in the all-time list, and same is the case for the South African.

The quality of the bowling apart, what made life even more difficult for the batter is the uneven bounce. It was inconsistent. On Thursday, one delivery from Rabada lifted from length to Shubman Gill on the right shoulder. Eight overs later, from the same length, another Rabada delivery would kept at about a foot high to catch him off-guard and hit the stumps. Which is what makes the century from Markram even more special.

Uneven bounce troubled batters throughout the match in Cape Town | PTI/AFP

South Africa were always expected to be a tough place to bat, especially in the last five years. However, that it had the shortest Test in history, that spinners did not bowl a single delivery, that the two-match Test series ended in four and a half days sums it up. Rohit, who did not make an issue out of the surface, made it a point to talk about the comments turning surfaces in India attract from visiting sides, before adding, "It was not going to be an easy pitch. So how much ever you can try and score, apply yourself, get hit on your body, it's fine, but just go and put yourself ahead. If you have to take a blow, be ready for it. That's something that we spoke of."

"It'll be one of our best Test match victories. It's very hard to compare the Tests that you play because every Test has its own importance and own relevance. The Test match that we won at The Gabba as well. The last test match that was lost by Australia in Brisbane was in 1988, I think. So you can't really rank, but this has to be right up there because we had not won here (Cape Town). That shows how important a venue this is for us to come here and perform."

Indeed, despite all the talk about the surface and how it behaved, what matters in the end is who played better on it, and in Cape Town, Rohit and Co. did. Which is why, it will go down as one of the best overseas Test wins for India in the past decade, alongside Johannesburg 2018, Gabba 2021, Lord's 2021 and Centurion 2021.

WTC 2023-25 STANDINGS

POS	TEAM	PCT (%)	PTS	W	L	D	PEN
1	India	54.16	26	2	1	1	-2
2	South Africa	50	12	1	1	0	0
3	New Zealand	50	12	1	1	0	0
4	Australia	50	42	4	2	1	-10
5	Bangladesh	50	12	1	1	0	0
6	Pakistan	45.83	22	2	2	0	-2
7	West Indies	16.67	4	0	1	1	0
8	England	15.00	9	2	2	1	-19
9	Sri Lanka	0.00	0	0	2	0	0

642 Shortest completed game in Test history in terms of number of balls

464 Lowest match aggregate for a Test involving India and SA

6/61 This is Jasprit Bumrah's sixth fifer in SENA countries, third in South Africa

25 The Cape Town Test is the 25th game to end in a span of two days

SCOREBOARD

South Africa 1st innings: 55; **India 1st innings:** 153; **South Africa (2nd innings, O/n: 62/3):** Markram c Sharma b Siraj 106, Elgar c Kohli b Mukesh 12, De Zorzi c Rahul b Mukesh 1, Stubbs c Rahul b Bumrah 1, Bedingham c Rahul b Bumrah 11, Verreynee c Sirah b Bumrah 9, Jansen c&b Bumrah 11, Maharaj c Iyer b Bumrah 3, Rabada c Sharma b Prasidh 2, Burger (not out) 6, Ngidi c Jaiswal b Bumrah 8; **Extras:** (LB-1, NB-5) 6; **Total:** (all out in 36.5 ovs) 176; **FoW:** 1-37, 2-41, 3-45, 4-66, 5-85, 6-103, 7-111, 8-162, 9-162; **Bowling:** Bumrah 13.5-0-61-6, Siraj 9-3-31-1, Mukesh 10-2-56-2, Prasidh 4-1-27-1; **India 2nd innings:** Jaiswal c Stubbs b Burger 28, Sharma not out 16, Gill b Rabada 10, Kohli c Verreynne b Jansen 12, Iyer not out 4; **Extras:** (B-1, LB-2, NB-1, W-6) 10; **Total:** (For three wickets in 12 ovs) 80; **FoW:** 1-44, 2-57, 3-75; **Bowling:** Rabada 6-0-33-1, Burger 4-0-29-1, Jansen 2-0-15-1.

Litmus test for India against Oz

KALYANI MANGALE @Chennai

AFTER eight matches across two different formats, India's packed home winter of international cricket is heading towards its conclusion. For the hosts, it has been a mixed bag with historic wins in Tests, but losses in both white-ball series — first against England in T20Is and then recently in the ODI series facing Australia. The success in the Test is certainly laudable, but the reality checks handed to the unit by both sides have larger implications given what's to come.

For now, according to the ICC's Future Tours Program, after these three T20I fixtures, India do not have any series scheduled till the World Cup in September. There is a chance the home series against South Africa and New Zealand, which were supposed to happen in September and October of 2023 could get rescheduled. However, at the moment, the series against the current T20 WC champions is potentially their best opportunity to prepare ahead of the ICC tournament in Bangladesh.

The series loss against England early in December 2023, the first under newly-appointed coach Amol Muzumdar, showed how India is still facing the similar issues they have seen over the years. The inability to break the partnerships, fielding lapses, misjudgment in the batting order, and conservative approach in the chase after the fall of quick wickets were on display in the first two fixtures. However, bowlers, led by off-spinner Shreyanka Patil and Saika Ishaque, followed by some clutch batting by Amanjot Kaur saved the day for India. "More exposure, fitness, and fielding will be my top priority. The fringe players - the new generation coming through - will get equal opportunities. These are the prime things that we will take forward after this series," Muzumdar had said in his first-ever media interaction after taking over the duties. By giving opportunities and sticking with both Ishaque and Patil in the series against England, Muzumdar kept his word. After Renuka Singh Thakur, both debutants took the highest wickets for India in the series (five each) to prove their coach right.

"Fearless cricket is something I have always advocated. We would be playing that brand of cricket," Muzumdar had said in the same media interaction. The cricket played in the first series under his watch wasn't exactly fearless, but there were solid takeaways to take from that. And the three-match series against Australia is the best way for the team to see if they can execute those lessons at the DY Patil Stadium, where the two sides will face each other, starting from Friday.

India's faith in their new crop of players, especially with the uncertainty over their next fixtures, will be tested against the experienced Australian unit going through transition. However, to be the best, one has to beat the best.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Girona keep pace with Real

AGENCIES @Barcelona

SHOCK Spanish title challengers Girona snatched a remarkable 4-3 victory over Atletico Madrid to keep pace with Real Madrid at the top of La Liga on Wednesday. After Los Blancos edged Real Mallorca 1-0, Ivan Martin's stoppage time strike ensured the Catalan minnows matched Carlo Ancelotti's side on 48 points from 19 matches. Atletico, third, trail both Real and Girona by 10 points, as do champions Barcelona, fourth.

Gymnasts Rakesh and Dipa shine on final day

B Aruna Reddy performs floor exercises on Thursday | SHAMIM QURESHY

TANMAY DAS @Bhubaneswar

ODISHA'S ace gymnast Rakesh Kumar Patra and Agartala girl Dipa Karmakar emerged as the best man and woman gymnasts, respectively, in the Senior Artistic Gymnastic Championship that concluded here at the Kalinga Stadium on Thursday.

Ahead of the Paris Olympics, the event was the best platform to test their skill and the 31-year-old local favourite Rakesh made the most of it. "Age is a number and it all depends how strong you are in your mind. I am happy that today also I am fit to beat many young players," he said after bagging the overall men's champion title along with gold (13.533) in individual still rings, silver (13.433) in parallel bar and bronze (12.233) in horizontal bar. Dipa won silver in Vaulting Table (12.700) and Uneven Bars (10.433). **Results:** Women Individual: Floor Exercise: Pranati Das (Railways, 11.900) , B Aruna Reddy (Telangana-B 11.867), Shatakshi Takke (Maharashtra, 11.533); Balancing Beam: Ritu Das (West Bengal, 13.167), Riddhi Hattekar (Maharashtra 10,933), Pranati Nayak (Railways, 10.433); Uneven Bar: Pranati Das (Railways, 10.433), Dipa Karmakar (Tripura, 10.433), Karishma (Odisha, 10.300); Vaulting Bar: Pranati Nayak (Railways, 12.833), Dipa Karmakar (Tripura, 12.467), Protistha Samanta (Railways, 12.400); Men's Individual: Horizontal Bar: Yogeshwar (Harayana, 13.000), Gaurav Kumar (Services, 12.300), Rakesh Kumar Patra (Odisha, 12.233); Parallel Bar: Saif Tamboli (Services, 13.900), Rakesh Kumar Patra (Odisha, 13.433), Gaurav Kumar 9Services, 13.333); VaultingTable: Siddharth Verma (Railways, 13134), Ujwal Naidu (Railways, 13.050), Bhaskar Das (Services, 13.017); Still Rings: Rakesh Kumar Patrea (Odisha, 13.533), Swathish K P (Kerala, 13.200), Tapan Mohanty (Odisha, 13167); Pommel Horse: Harikrishnan J S (Kerala, 13133), Siddharth Verma (Railways, 13.033), Yogeshwar (Haryana, 12.400).

EXPRESS READ

Warner out for 34 as poor light stops play

SYDNEY: Australia opener David Warner was dismissed for 34 in his farewell Test against Pakistan at the Sydney Cricket Ground on Thursday before rain and poor light ruined most of the rest of the second day. Play was interrupted with Australia at 116-2 in reply to Pakistan's 313. **Brief scores:** Pak 1st inns 313 vs Aus 1st inns 116/2 in 47 ovs (Khawaja 47).

Only side-on replays for stumping reviews

DUBAI: The International Cricket Council has effected a notable change in playing conditions, as per which the umpires henceforth will only assess the side-on replays for stumping without considering the caught-behind scenario during the Decision Review System referrals. The modification has come into effect on Dec 12, 2023.

BIG CHALLENGE

No extra pressure as captain: Sai Kishore

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @Chennai

TAMIL Nadu captain Sai Kishore is confident of a good show by his team in the Ranji Trophy and is looking to begin the season on a winning note against Gujarat in their first game on Friday. His confidence stems from the fact that the team has the right mixture of experience and youth in its ranks. Sai Kishore also believes that since the role of the players have been sorted out in the predatory camp, he expects the team to perform to potential. "We are confident of a good show this season. Our preparations have been good and we had a practice match at Baroda. We sorted out the players' roles ahead for the season. We are in good spirits and have jelled as a unit, and I am confident we will do well," said Sai Kishore.

Sai Kishore has led Tamil Nadu in the past, but this is the first time that he has been named as the captain for a full season. "Yes, it feels good to lead Tamil Nadu. But having said that, I feel normal, like how I was just as a player. We have a very good team that has the right mixture of experience and youth in its ranks. So I feel this will make my job all the more easier. There is no extra pressure of being the captain. I believe a captain is as good as his team. So we all want to go out and enjoy the outing," said the left-arm spinner.

Both B Sai Sudharsan, who made his India debut against South Africa, and Pradosh Ranjan Paul have been in good form at South Africa. Their form and contribution will be crucial for the Tamil Nadu top order to put runs on the board. "Yes, both Sai Sudharsan and Pradosh are in good form. Both are available at the moment, so it augurs well for the side. When two youngsters in the team are in good form, it gives the team many options," said Sai Kishore.

Tamil Nadu will be playing red-ball cricket after playing white-ball tournaments. Many players take time to adapt and adjust to different formats, however, the captain is not worried about it. "We have experienced batters in our team. All are professional players so they know how to adapt. Our approach will be to take one match at a time and then carry forward the momentum. I expect a good show from our team," he signed off.

RANJI RETURNS

WITH THE 2023-24 PREMIER DOMESTIC TOURNAMENT GETTING UNDERWAY, A LOOK AT SOME KEY TALKING POINTS...

CHANCE FOR RAHANE, PUJARA?

Ajinkya Rahane and Chesteshwar Pujara are never out of discussion when it comes to red-ball cricket. Although India have recorded a dominant win in Cape Town to level the series, the two spots they owned — No. 3 and 5 — aren't sealed yet. Neither Shubman Gill nor Shreyas Iyer made a mark, and with 10 home Tests ahead, the senior pros will be looking to prove a point in the Ranji Trophy for their respective teams.

FRINGE PLAYERS IN FOCUS

If Rahane and Pujara are one end, there are others like Mayank Agarwal, Hanuma Vihari, Abhimanyu Easwaran who have been in and out of the Indian Test squad in recent years. While Agarwal was the leading run-scorer last season, helping Karnataka reach the semifinals, Vihari and Easwaran have been the pillars of their domestic sides as well. All three would want to create an impact this time as well.

WHO IS THE NEXT INDIA PACER?

It is perhaps the most important question with the pool of pacers for Test cricket shrinking. Last year, Akash Deep and Avesh Khan were the only two fast bowlers among the top ten wicket-takers. Jaydev Unadkat is still thriving, the likes of Vidwath Kaverappa, Vyshak Vijaykumar were impressive last season. Arzan Nagwaswalla and Ishan Porel are among the ones to keep an eye on this time around.

SAXENA AND THE OTHER SPINNERS

Last year, Jalaj Saxena became the first and only uncapped player to have 6000 runs and 400 wickets in first-class cricket. He is still grinding away for Kerala and is one of the few offies to thrive in the Ranji Trophy. K Gowtham took 31 wickets last year. This time, along with them, TN off-spinner Washington Sundar will be on the radar considering the home Test calendar for the year.

Groupings

Elite Group A: Saurashtra, Jharkhand, Maharashtra, Rajasthan, Vidarbha, Haryana, Services, Manipur; **Elite Group B:** Bengal, Andhra, Mumbai, Kerala, Chhattisgarh, Uttar Pradesh, Assam, Bihar; **Elite Group C:** Karnataka, Punjab, Railways, Tamil Nadu, Goa, Gujarat, Tripura, Chandigarh; **Elite Group D:** Madhya Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Himachal Pradesh, Baroda, Delhi, Odisha, Pondicherry, Jammu & Kashmir; **Plate Group:** Nagaland, Hyderabad, Meghalaya, Sikkim, Mizoram, Arunachal Pradesh.

MATCHES START AT 9.30 AM

IIT Madras closed 2023 with 350 startups & ₹45,000 cr valuation

VAITHEESWARAN B @Chennai

IIT Madras Incubation cell aims to incubate at least 100 startups this year with focus on climate-tech, agriculture, rural-tech, water, sustainability-related, future factory, supply chain management.

"We are sector-agnostic, but we would focus on certain areas of interest and attract young entrepreneurs (for that), in the next three months," said Tamaswati Ghosh, Chief Executive Officer of IIT Madras Incubation Cell. "We are not just waiting for startups to apply, but we are also creating programs to generate potential for new startups." Country's leading academia-backed incubator onboarded 70 last year. IITMIC incubated startups totaled 350 in 2023 and have a combined valuation of ₹45,000 crores. In the financial years 2022-23, they have a combined revenue of ₹3,000 crores. Tamaswati Ghosh said it is a good measure of startups' performance." Amid the funding winter, she says startups at IITM took longer to close the funding rounds than usual but managed to pull off investments. "It all goes down to certain principles the way companies are being run where investor confidence falls."

"For the majority of the companies here, getting funding has not been difficult, but (it) got longer to close the round. Startups across stages have received funds. Some well-known companies have closed funds with good valuation."

IIT Madras enjoys a high success rate in deep-tech ranging from Space-tech, drones, semiconductors, hyperloop, robotics and life sciences, boasting 80% survival rate since its inception in 2010. But many of the startups have not scaled up in a big way like Flipkart, Zomato and Swiggy or gone public. IITM's Uniphore became an Unicorn in 2022 with a USD 400 million funding. Most startups are in the business to business (B2B) ventures rather than consumer-tech business. Tamaswati Ghosh expects a few major startups to scale up their business this year including Agnikul Cosmos, Ather Energy and others.

She said the incubation cell aims to bring startups from remote places, reach out to students from tier- II, tier- III and tier- IV cities to create entrepreneurial culture. IITMIC partners with around 50 colleges and co-incubating startups from non-metro cities to create entrepreneurial hub within these institutions. "It is all about confidence."

Though the institute has a pan India presence of incubatees, it is concentrated in the south and plans to expand its geography throughout the country. IIT Madras has multiple centers of innovation, pre-incubators, five incubators including the mother incubator IIT Madras Incubation cell, cyber-physical system incubators, Health-tech incubator, bio-tech incubators, rural-tech incubators.

Speaking to TNIE, IIT Madras Director Prof. V Kamakoti said, starting 100 startups which essentially mean 2-3 people will become CEOs and CTOs. "We have to have some kind of target," he said, adding they aim to guide startups to scale-up, becoming unicorns.

Students participating in manual robotics competition at Shaastra 2016 at IIT Madras | MARTIN LOUIS

This year he wants more startups out of IIT-M students. Space sector, satellite and communications, manufacturing, robotics, accessibility, will play a major role in 2024, apart from fintech, IT and AI-related startups, he said.

The institute has a high number of patent filing among IITs and plans to share its patent filing mechanism with other colleges and hope the technology licensing will soon become a big chunk of revenue for the institute. Recently, 5G radio access network (RAN) technology developed by IIT Madras and others has been licensed to Tata's Tejas Networks. "We are now pushing on innovation and entrepreneurship, the two important things to make our country a tech power," Prof V Kamakoti said.

Tethered drones for longer flights and strategic applications

VAITHEESWARAN B @Chennai

CHENNAI-BASED Anna University and drone startup Daksha Unmanned Systems are to start commercial production of tethered drones which will be connected to the ground with a kevlar-coated glass fiber cable. The cable provides power supply to the drones and telemetry data to the ground. Anna University recently got a patent for tethered drones. It could be operated continuously without battery concerns, improves payload capacity and prove useful for strategic applications. Dr K Senthil Kumar, Professor and Director of Dr Kalam Advanced UAV Research Centre at Anna University told TNIE that currently it has been tested for up to eight hours. "It could be deployed round the clock if the motor and components are optimized for long hours. These types of drones cannot be hacked, and could be used for defence camp prot! ection and surveillance, and other areas"

Tethered drones can be used for fire and rescue operations in high-rise buildings, disaster management like establishing an antenna for Telecommunication purposes, logistics and other things.

TECHNOLOGY BUZZ

Vivo to strengthen foothold in premium segment with X100 series

Smartphone maker Vivo on Thursday announced the launch of Vivo X100 series devices in the country as it looks to strengthen its presence in the premium segment. The new X100 series, comprising X100 Pro and X100, features a ZEISS camera to give a high-quality imaging experience and is priced above ₹63,999, Vivo said in a statement. "Vivo looks to strengthen its presence in the premium smartphone segment in the country," a Vivo spokesperson said. Vivo is also in the process of starting production at the new facility in Noida early this year. Currently, Vivo has its manufacturing unit in Greater Noida, with a capacity of around 60 million phones annually, the spokesperson said. The official claimed that the Vivo brand's market share in the above ₹30,000 category reached 22% in the second quarter of 2023, from just 3% in 2020, when it launched the X50 series.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
CIVIL APPEAL No. 4314 OF 2023
WITH PRAYER FOR INTERIM RELIEF
WITH 129219/2023- APPLICATION FOR EX-PARTE STAY AND 129220/2023- APPLICATION FOR EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT

GHOUSIA WILLIAMS ... **PETITIONER(S)/APPELLANT(S)**
VERSUS
PRASANNA H S AND OTHERS ... **RESPONDENT(S)**

To, **1. PRASANNA H S**, S/O SRIPATHY, JUNIOR TRAINING OFFICER FITTER TRADE TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO. 28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE, DISTRICT- BANGALORE, KARNATAKA - 560051. PID: 225163/2023 FOR R[1] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

2. SRI VINAY M S, S/O LATE SUBBANNA M S, AGED ABOUT 36 YEARS, JUNIOR TRAINING OFFICER, THE TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO.28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051, DISTRICT-OTHER. PID: 225164/2023 FOR R[2] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

3. PRASANNA .R, S/O SRI KAMATAR R H, AGED ABOUT 50 YEARS, PRINCIPAL, TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO.28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051. PID: 225165/2023 FOR R[3] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

4. RAMESH B, S/O. SRI. BASAVARAJAPPA, AGED ABOUT 45 YEARS, JUNIOR TRAINING OFFICER, WORKSHOP, CALCULATION AND SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, DRAWING, TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO.28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051. DISTRICT-OTHER. PID: 225166/2023 FOR R[4] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

5. SMT. SAVITHA .K, W/O, VENKATARAGHAVAN, AGED ABOUT 44 YEARS, JUNIOR TRAINING OFFICER, ELECTRONICS MECHANICS TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO 28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051. DISTRICT- OTHER. PID: 225167/2023 FOR R[5] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

6. SHANTHAKUMAR M S, S/O SRI AKULAPPA, AGED ABOUT 46 YEARS, JUNIOR TRAINING OFFICER, TURNER TRADE, TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO.28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051. DISTRICT-OTHER. PID: 225168/2023 FOR R[6] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

7. ANJANAPPA C M, S/O. SRI MUNIYAPPA, AGED ABOUT 46 YEARS, JUNIOR TRAINING OFFICER, FITTER TRADE, TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOP DEAF, NO.28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051. DISTRICT- OTHER. PID: 225169/2023 FOR R[7] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

8. RAGHAVENDRA M, S/O. SRI KRISHNAMURTHY, AGED ABOUT 39 YEARS, OFFICE SUPERINTENDANT, TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO.28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051. DISTRICT-OTHER. PID: 225170/2023 FOR R[8] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

9. AMARANTH R, S/O, SRI RAMEGOWDA, AGED ABOUT 40 YEARS, WORKSHOP ATTENDER, TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO.28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051. DISTRICT- OTHER. PID: 225171/2023 FOR R[9] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

10. ANTHONIYAMMA, W/O SRI KRISHNAMURTHY AGED ABOUT 50 YEARS, GROUP-D EMPLOYEE, TECHNICAL TRAINING CENTER FOR DEAF, NO.28/2, HAINES ROAD, NEW BAMBOO BAZAR ROAD, BANGALORE-560051. DISTRICT- OTHER. PID: 225172/2023 FOR R[10] IN C.A. NO.4314/2023 (SEC IV-A)

WHEREAS the Civil Appeal with prayer for interim relief along with application for **EX-PARTE STAY, EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT**, above mentioned (copy enclosed) filed in the Registry by **Mr. AVIRAL KASHYAP**, Advocate on behalf of the Petitioner(s) above named was listed for hearing before this Court on **21st July, 2023**, when the Court was pleased to pass the following order:

1. Issue notice.

2. In the meantime, the operation of the impugned judgment and order shall remain stayed."

AND WHEREAS, the matter above-mentioned was listed before **Ld. Registrar's Court** on **02nd November, 2023**, When the following order was passed:- **Ld. Counsel for appellant has filed application for substituted service in respect of Respondent Nos. 1 to 10. The same is allowed.**

Registry to proceed further as per rules. List again on 9.1.2024."

NOW, THEREFORE, TAKE NOTICE that the above petition with prayer for interim relief along with application for EX-PARTE STAY, EXEMPTION FROM FILING C/C OF THE IMPUGNED JUDGMENT, will be posted for hearing before this Court in due course and you may enter appearance before this Court either in person or through an advocate on record of this Court duly appointed by you in that behalf within 30 days from the date of service of notice. You may thereafter show cause to the Court on the day that may subsequently be specified as to why interim relief as prayed be not granted and the resultant appeal be not allowed.

Take Further Notice that the prayer for interim relief after notice will also be listed before the Court in due course.

You may file your affidavit in opposition to the petition as provided under Rule 14(1) of Order XXI, S.C.R.2013 within 30 days from the date of receipt of notice or not later than 2 weeks before the date appointed for hearing, whichever be earlier, but shall do so only by setting out the grounds in opposition to the questions of law or grounds set out in the SLPs and may produce such pleadings and documents filed before the Court/Tribunal against whose order the SLP is filed and shall also set out the grounds for not granting interim order or for vacating interim order if already granted.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that if you fail to enter appearance as aforesaid, no further notice shall be given to you even after the grant of special leave for hearing of the resultant appeal and the matter above mentioned shall be disposed of in your absence.

Dated : 06/11/2023 ASSISTANT REGISTRAR

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MEGA E-AUCTION
NOTICE OF SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES ON 05.02.2024

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) / Rule 9 (1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the **Constructive Possession** of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer (details mentioned below), will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis on 05.02.2024** at the below mentioned timings for recovery of dues with further interest and cost thereon due to the **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

The details are as under: Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **02.02.2024 at 4.00 pm** through online payment to the Account No. details of which are given below or by way of DD favouring **Karnataka Bank Ltd.**

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrowers/Mortgagors/Guarantors/ Co-Obligants and Loan Account No.	Balance O/S Rs. Future Interest From + Costs	Possession Date Possession Type	Description of the Property/ies	Reserve Price (Rs.)	Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Rs.	Auction Time	Incremental Value of the Bid	Branch Name & Account Details for Remitting EMD/ IFSC Code
1	**(1) Mr. Ashwin Reddy,** S/o Mr. Ashwathnarayana Reddy, **(2) Mr. Ashchinth Reddy,** S/o Mr. Ashwathnarayana Reddy, **Both are addressed at :** No.1001, Vallimark Apas, Hulimavu , Bengaluru-560076, **Both also at :** No.94/1, 3rd Floor, Hulimavu Main Road, Bengaluru-560076. **Loan A/c Nos.: (1) TL A/c No.1247001600041801 (2) TL A/c No.1247001600043701 (3) TL A/c No.1247001600048501**	**Total Rs. 5,44,37,401.30 [(1) Rs. 5,02,02,607.43 21.12.2023 + (2) Rs. 19,93,774.87 19.12.2023 + (3) Rs. 22,41,019.00 23.12.2023]**	**20.10.2023 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of immovable property bearing **Municipal No.1 (Old No.86/6), PID No.67-37-1, measuring 3575 Sq.ft** as per document [East to West-55 feet and North to South-65 feet], being the portion of the land in **Sy.No.73/2** of Koramangala Village, situated at 2nd Main, K.R Garden, Koramangala, within the limits of BBMP, Bengaluru, with commercial building constructed thereon, **mortgaged by Mr. Ashwin Reddy and Mr. Ashchinth Reddy. Boundaries of property as per Document : East :** 30 feet Road, **West :** Private Property, **North :** 80 feet Road, **South :** K.N. Narayana Reddy's Building.	**Rs. 7,02,00,000/-**	**Rs. 70,20,000/-**	**11.30 A.M to 11.50 A.M**	**Rs. 1,00,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Amarjyothinagar A/c No: 1243500200004101 IFSC: KARB0000124**
2	**(1) Mr. Kemparaju,** S/o Mr. Dasegowda, **(2) Mrs. Bhagya,** W/o Mr. Kemparaju, **(3) Mr. Puttaswamy,** S/o Mr. Dasegowda, **(4) Mr. S.M.Nagarathna,** W/o Mr. Puttaswamy, **All are addressed at:** 22/1, 5th Main Road, 11th Cross, Chowdappa Layout, Bapuji Nagar, Bengaluru , Karnataka – 560026. **Loan A/c No.: TL A/c No.9687001600002701**	**Rs. 74,81,133.70 11.12.2023**	**20.10.2023 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of property bearing **Site No.20, BBMP Khata No.459, in Sy.No.154, measuring 1260 Sq.ft** [East to West-42 feet, North to South-30 feet], with Residential Building constructed thereon, **measuring 2,861 Sq.ft** as per sanction plan, situated at Laggere Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bengaluru North Takuk, Bengaluru, belonging to **Mr. Kemparaju and Mr. Puttaswamy. Boundaries of property as per Document : East :** Road, **West :** Others Property, **North :** Property No.19, **South :** Road.	**Rs. 1,20,00,000/-**	**Rs. 12,00,000/-**	**11.20 A.M to 11.40 A.M**	**Rs. 1,00,000//-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – HMT Layout Nagasandra A/c No: 9683500200004101 IFSC:KARB0000968**
3	**(1) Mr. Puttaraju,** S/o Mr. Basavalingaiah, **(2) Mrs. Bharathi L,** W/o Mr. Puttaraju, **Both are addressed at :** No.58/2, 7th Main, Bharathi Nagar, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru-560085, **Both also at :** Property No.21, Sy.No.57/1, 758, Katriguppe, Bharathinagar, Uttarahalli, BSK 3rd Stage, Bengaluru South-560085. **Loan A/c No: TL A/c No.9127001600011201**	**Rs. 18,39,731.55 11.12.2023**	**22.09.2023 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of Eastern portion of the **property No.21, Sy.No.57/1 and 58 measuring 675.00 Sq.ft** [East to West-15.00 feet and North to South-45.00 feet] with Residential Building constructed thereon, situated at 5th B Cross Road, Syndicate Bank Colony Layout, Kathriguppe Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru, belonging to **Mr. Puttaraju and Mrs. Bharathi L. Boundaries of property as per Document : East :** Property No.22, **West :** Remaining Portion of Site No.21, **North :** Road, **South :** Site No.27.	**Rs. 65,00,000/-**	**Rs. 6,50,000/-**	**11.35 A.M to 11.55 A.M**	**Rs. 50,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Raghuvanahalli A/c No: 9123500200004101 IFSC: KARB0000912**
4	**(1) Mr. Ravichandra K.N,** S/o Mr. Narayanappa, **(2) Mrs. Chinnamma R,** W/o Mr. Narayanappa, **Both 1 & 2 are addressed at :** No.1, Sy.No.2/1, 1st Cross Road, Gundappa Layout, Kyalasanahalli, Kothanur Post, K.R Puram Hobli, Bengaluru-560077, **(3) Mr. Subramani K.N,** S/o B. Narayanappa, **Addressed at :** No.40/1, Kyalasanahalli, Hennur, Behind Yashas Farm, Kothanur Post, Bengaluru-560077. **Loan A/c Nos.: (1) TL A/c No.0547001600191001 (2) PSTL A/c No.0547001800112201**	**Total Rs. 42,16,162.40 [(1) Rs. 26,83,385.09 01.01.2024 + (2) Rs. 15,32,777.31 16.12.2023]**	**02.03.2023 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of the immovable property bearing **Site No.1, Khata No.296/784,** being the site carved out of the portion of the land in **Sy.No.2/1** of Kyalasanahalli Village, **measuring 1200 Sq.ft** [East to West-30.00 feet, North to South-40.00 feet], with Residential Building constructed thereon, situated at Kyalasanahalli Village, Kothanur Post, K.R Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, Bengaluru belonging to **Mr. Ravichandra K.N. Boundaries of property as per Document : East :** Remaining portion of land in Sy.No.2/1, **West :** Site No.2, **North :** Road, **South :** Yashbans Farm.	**Rs. 95,95,000/-**	**Rs. 9,59,500/-**	**10.55 A.M to 11.15 A.M**	**Rs. 50,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Industrial Finance A/c No: 0543500200004101 IFSC: KARB0000054**
5	**(1) Mr. Santhosh Kumar H Gotur,** S/o Mr. Hanumanthappa, **(2) Mrs. Lalitha,** W/o Mr. Santhosh Kumar H Gotur, **Both are addressed at :** No.16/5, 1st Floor, Chandramma Building, Neraluru Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru-562107, **Both also at :** Site No.154, Property No.4626/154, "JR Meadows", Neralur Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru-562107. **Loan A/c No.: TL A/c No.9637001600004101**	**Rs. 43,17,317.22 28.12.2023**	**20.10.2023 Constructive**	All that part and parcel of the converted residential site bearing **No.154, E-Khata No.150200101500620467, Property No.4626/154, measuring 1083.75 Sq.ft** [East to West-30 feet, North to South-36.125 feet], with Residential Building constructed thereon [GF+FF+SF+ Terrace Floor], **measuring 1851.42 Sq.ft** as per sanction plan, in "JR Meadows" Phase - I project carved out of Survey No.223/1, situated at Neraluru Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru, belonging to **Mr. Santhosh Kumar H Gotur. Boundaries of property as per Document : East :** Site No.155, **West :** Site No.153, **North :** Road, **South :** Private Property.	**Rs. 65,00,000/-**	**Rs. 6,50,000/-**	**1.10 P.M to 1.30 P.M**	**Rs. 50,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru – Electronic City Phase I A/c No: 9633500200004101 IFSC: KARB0000963**
6	**(1) M/s Akshay Constructions,** A Proprietorship Concern, Represented by its Proprietor, Mr. Prasad Raju K, **addressed at:** No.4, Ground Floor, 2nd Cross, MR Garden, KEB Layout, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru–560094, **(2) Mr. Prasad Raju K,** S/o Mr. Gopalaraju Kondur, **(3) Mrs. Kirthi R,** W/o Mr. Prasad Raju K, **No.2 to 3 are R/at :** No.4, Ground Floor, 2nd Cross, MR Garden, KEB Layout, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru-560094 and **(4) Mr. Damodaran P,** S/o Mr. Ponnuswamy, **R/at:-** No.9, Lakshmidevamma Block, 5th Cross, Ganganagar, Bengaluru-560032. **Loan A/c Nos.: M/s Akshay Constructions (1) PSOD A/c No. 1137000600017901 (2) PDPN A/c No. 1137001400019101 Mr. Prasad Raju K (1) TL A/c No. 1137001600052101 (2) TL A/c No. 1137001600075701**	**Total Rs.1,79,27,106.70 M/s Akshay Constructions [(1) Rs.55,51,420.00 01.01.2024 + (2) Rs. 26,08,366.98 11.12.2023] Mr. Prasad Raju K [(1) Rs.25,30,150.77 16.12.2023 + (2) Rs. 72,37,168.95 27.12.2023]**	**04.11.2023 Constructive**	**Item No.1:-** All that part and parcel of the **Residential Flat No.1, Ground Floor, "Banashankari Homes"** having **SBA of 1080 sq.ft. and proportionate UDS of 410 sq.ft.,** with one covered car parking, constructed on the site bearing No.4, Khata No.207/A, situated at 2nd Cross, Muniramappa Garden, Geddalahalli, Sanjaynagar, Near KEB Layout, Bengaluru-560094 belonging to **Mr. Prasad Raju K. Boundaries of the entire property/Flat: East By :** Road/Open to Sky, **West By :** Site No.16/Open to Sky, **North By :** Site No.3/Door Entrance, **South By :** Site No.5/Open to Sky. **Item No.2:-** All that part and parcel of the **Residential Flat No.S-1, Second Floor, having Super Built Up Area of 1350 sq.ft., and UDS of 500sq.ft.,** in the Apartment called as **"Jyotshna Residency"** constructed on the site bearing **Municipal No.175, BBMP PID No. 100-753-175,** situated at MGECHBS Layout, Devasandra, Sanjaynagar, Bengaluru-560094 belonging to **Mr. Prasad Raju K. Boundaries of the entire property/Flat: East By :** Road/Door Entrance, **West By :** Site No.194/Open to Sky, **North By :** Site No.174/Open to Sky, **South By :** Site No.176/Staircase.	**Rs. 80,80,000/- Rs. 1,05,00,000/-**	**Rs. 8,08,000/- Rs. 10,50,000/-**	**10.00 AM to 10.20 AM 10.25 AM to 10.45 AM**	**Rs. 50,000/-**	**Karnataka Bank Ltd Branch: Bengaluru - Sanjaynagar A/c No: 1133500200004101 IFSC: KARB0000113**

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Date : 04.01.2024
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Chief Manager & Authorised Officer, Karnataka Bank Ltd.